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115th ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of Lynnfield

Massachusetts



YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1928

Compiled by the Town Accountant

Item Press, Wakefield, Mass.



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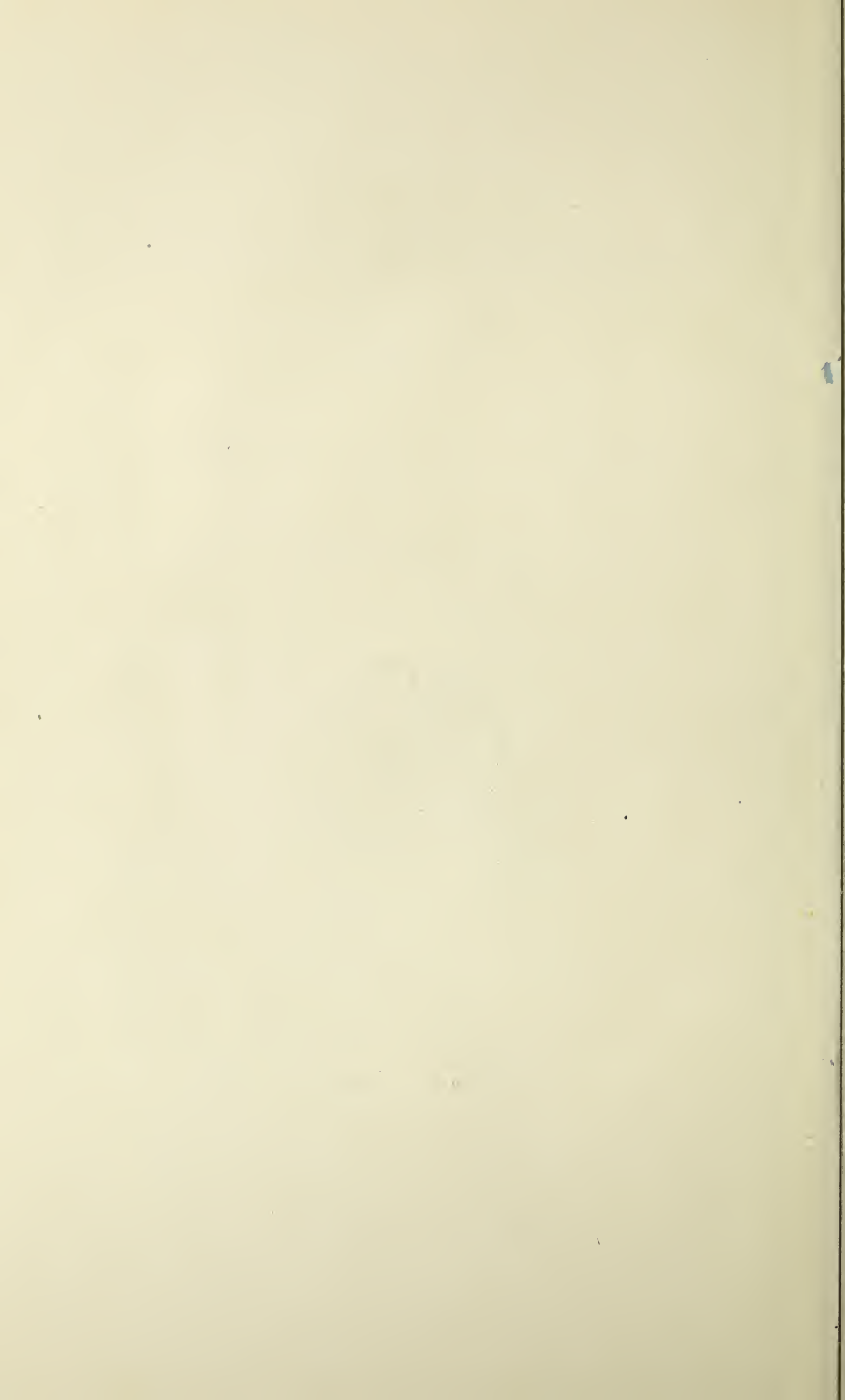
Town of Lynnfield

Massachusetts



YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1928

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Town Officers

ELECTED

SELECTMEN, BOARD OF HEALTH AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Frank C. Newhall, Chairman | Term expires 1929 |
| Andrew Mansfield, Secretary | Term expires 1929 |
| Ralph E. Cox | Term expires 1929 |

TOWN CLERK

Oscar E. Phillips

TOWN TREASURER

Franklin W. Freeman

TAX COLLECTOR

Franklin W. Freeman

ASSESSORS

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| William W. Moxham, Chairman | Term expires 1930 |
| George H. Bancroft, Secretary | Term expires 1931 |
| Everett B. Richards | Term expires 1929 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Louis B. Tuck, Chairman | Term expires 1929 |
| Martha D. Mansfield, Secretary | Term expires 1930 |
| Clarence A. Studley | Term expires 1931 |

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Charles Payzant, Chairman | Term expires 1931 |
| Willard Olmsted | Term expires 1929 |
| *J. Buckley Glasgow | Term expires 1930 |
| **George A. Cornet | |

PARK COMMISSIONERS

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Edward Q. Moulton, Chairman | Term expires 1930 |
| Raymond Pearson, Secretary | Term expires 1931 |
| Harry B. Nesbitt | Term expires 1929 |

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Seth H. Russell, Chairman | Term expires 1929 |
| Dexter F. Parker, Secretary | Term expires 1930 |
| Arthur W. Bryant | Term expires 1931 |

TWO CONSTABLES FOR ONE YEAR

| | |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Albert G. Tedford | Fred W. Bryant |
|-------------------|----------------|

TREE WARDEN

Lyman H. Twiss

*Resigned.

**Appointed to fill vacancy until annual March election.

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

TOWN COUNSEL
Rutherford E. Smith

TOWN ACCOUNTANT
Oscar E. Phillips (Term expires Apr. 1, 1930)

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND BARNs
*Walter Gray
Arthur W. Bryant

INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING
Fred W. Bryant

SOLDIERS' BURIAL AGENT
Edward Q. Moulton

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS FOR THREE YEARS
Edward A. Russell

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT
William W. Moxham

CHIEF OF POLICE
Albert G. Tedford

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
Minot H. Carter

WEIGHERS OF COMMODITIES

Elbridge H. Gerry
George M. Roundy
Harry F. Nesbitt
Minot H. Carter

Oscar E. Phillips
Edward A. Russell
John A. Gault
Ella M. Nesbitt.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS
Minot H. Carter

INSPECTOR OF MILK
Dana I. Sweetser

HEALTH OFFICER
Ralph E. Cox

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL
Edward L. Phillips

DOG OFFICER

Fred W. Bryant

FOREST WARDEN

William W. Moxham

SUPERINTENDENT OF MOTH WORK

Lyman H. Twiss

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

George T. D. Barnjum

*Resigned. Arthur W. Bryant appointed to fill vacancy.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Nelson B. Todd, Chairman

Frank L. Cass

George M. Roundy

Edward A. Moeglin

John Ward

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS AS ORGANIZED

William R. Delamater, Chairman

Edward A. Russell

Sidney M. Eaton, Clerk

Oscar E. Phillips (ex-officio)

ELECTION OFFICERS

Precinct 1

Franklin W. Freeman, Warden

Clarence A. Hall, Clerk

Carl H. Russell

Sidney E. Richards

Everett B. Richards

Daniel J. McCarthy

Precinct 2

Wesley W. Munroe, Warden

Joseph A. Donovan, Clerk

William R. Delamater

Sidney M. Eaton

Harold Treameer

James D. McNamara

SPECIAL POLICE

Lewis F. Pope

William J. Larkin

Fred W. Bryant

Josiah Poeton

Harold W. Treameer

Edgar H. Brown

Joseph F. Smith

Raymond F. Pope (appt. June 4)

Edward L. Phillips

John M. Lynch

Allison G. Tedford

Wesley W. Munroe

James N. Darling

Ralph E. Cox

George L. Greene

Patrick J. Dalton (appt. July 2)

LIST OF JURORS

1. Bryant, Arthur W., Storekeeper

Salem St.

2. Carter, Minot H., Farmer

Main St.

3. Crafts, Howard S., Realtor

Fairview Ave.

4. Delamater, William R., Painter

Salem St.

5. Donovan, Joseph A., Merchant

Broadway

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| 6. Eaton, Sidney M., Shoeworker | Salem St. |
| 7. Evans, E. Dudley, Laborer | Essex St. |
| 8. Lynch, John M., Laborer | Salem St. |
| 9. Pearson, Raymond R., Nurseryman | Summer St. |
| 10. Smith, Joseph F., Merchant | Lowell St. |
| 11. Southworth, Louis F., Tinsmith | Main St. |
| 12. Swain, H. Oscar, Merchant | Salem St. |
| 13. Temple, John M., Contractor | Summer St. |
| 14. Wright, William G., Gardener | Locust St. |

REGISTRATION STATISTICS

AT THE CLOSE OF REGISTRATION, OCTOBER 17, 1928

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|-----------------------------|---------|---------|-------|
| Number of voters registered | 467 | 420 | 887 |
| Assessed polls | 256 | 210 | 466 |
| Population of 1925 Census | 663 | 668 | 1331 |

TOWN OF LYNNFIELD

is in the 7th Congressional District
5th Councillor District, 3rd Essex Senatorial District
and 10th Essex Representative District.

DOGS LICENSED IN 1928

| | |
|---|----------|
| 119 males @ \$2.00 | \$238.00 |
| 27 females @ \$5.00 | 135.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$373.00 |
| Deduct clerk's fees, 146 licenses @ 20c | 29.20 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance sent to County Treasurer | \$343.80 |

HUNTER'S LICENSES ISSUED IN 1928

| | |
|--|----------|
| 27 Sporting licenses @ \$2.25 | \$ 60.75 |
| 1 Alien sporting license @ \$15.25 | 15.25 |
| 1 Trapping license @ \$2.25 | 2.25 |
| 1 Duplicate license @ 50c | .50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 78.75 |
| Deduct Clerk's fees, 29 licenses @ 25c | 7.25 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance sent to Game Commission | \$ 71.50 |

MARCH 5, 1928
RESULT OF ELECTION OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

* Indicates Election.

THREE SELECTMEN, BOARD OF HEALTH AND OVERSEERS
OF POOR FOR ONE YEAR

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|-------------------|---------|---------|-------|
| Total Vote Cast | 242 | 192 | 434 |
| *Ralph E. Cox | 205 | 70 | 275 |
| *Andrew Mansfield | 115 | 145 | 260 |
| *Frank C. Newhall | 120 | 171 | 291 |
| Harry Allen Pratt | 20 | 7 | 27 |
| Joseph F. Smith | 145 | 102 | 247 |
| Blanks | 121 | 81 | 202 |

ASSESSOR FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *George H. Bancroft | 212 | 163 | 375 |
| Blanks | 30 | 29 | 59 |

TOWN TREASURER

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Franklin W. Freeman | 219 | 178 | 397 |
| Blanks | 23 | 14 | 37 |

TAX COLLECTOR

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Franklin W. Freeman | 219 | 176 | 395 |
| Blanks | 23 | 16 | 39 |

TOWN CLERK

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Oscar E. Phillips | 222 | 173 | 395 |
| Blanks | 20 | 19 | 39 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Clarence A. Studley | 76 | 169 | 245 |
| Harry A. Worthen | 150 | 16 | 166 |
| Blanks | 16 | 7 | 23 |

TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Charles Payzant | 210 | 136 | 346 |
| Blanks | 32 | 56 | 88 |

PARK COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Raymond R. Pearson | 219 | 139 | 358 |
| Blanks | 23 | 53 | 76 |

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Arthur W. Bryant | 207 | 162 | 369 |
| Blanks | 35 | 30 | 65 |

TWO CONSTABLES FOR ONE YEAR

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Fred W. Bryant | 194 | 163 | 357 |
| *Albert G. Tedford | 219 | 148 | 367 |
| Blanks | 71 | 73 | 144 |

TREE WARDEN FOR ONE YEAR

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Lyman H. Twiss | 207 | 144 | 351 |
| Blanks | 35 | 48 | 83 |

FIVE MEMBERS OF TOWN PLANNING BOARD

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Ernest P. Lane | 173 | 103 | 276 |
| *Martha D. Mansfield | 174 | 102 | 276 |
| *Carl H. Russell | 190 | 105 | 295 |
| *Nelson B. Todd | 186 | 108 | 294 |
| *H. Louise Worthen | 182 | 97 | 279 |
| Scattering | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Blanks | 305 | 443 | 748 |

RECORDS OF TOWN MEETING

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 12, 1928

At the Annual Town Meeting held in the evening of March 12, 1928, the following business was transacted.

The meeting was called to order at 7.30 o'clock by the Town Clerk and the reading of the articles was omitted by a vote of the Town.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Nelson B. Todd and Peter J. Walsh were duly nominated for Moderator, a ballot was taken and the check list used. The ballot showed that 182 voted. 127 were for Nelson B. Todd, 54 for Peter J. Walsh, and scattering 1. Nelson B. Todd was declared elected as Moderator of this meeting.

Article 2. To act upon reports of town officers as published and special committees.

Upon motion of Josiah S. Bonney, it was voted to accept the reports of town officers and special committees as published. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. To choose all town officers not required to be chosen by ballot. Upon motion of Charles N. Pratt, it was voted that James D. McNamara, Daniel J. McCarthy and Joseph F. Smith be field drivers; Joseph F. Smith, pound keeper, and George M. Roundy, William E. Roundy and Albert G. Tedford, wood measurers. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1928, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Upon motion of John Ward it was voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1928, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1929.

Upon motion of Oscar E. Phillips it was voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1929. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. To see what disposal the Town will make of the money refunded by the County from the dog tax for the year 1927.

Upon motion of Charles Payzant it was voted that the money refunded by the County from the dog tax of 1927 be appropriated for the Library Dept. A unanimous vote.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day and determine how the same shall be expended, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$175.00.

Upon motion of Carl H. Russell it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175.00 for the observance of Memorial Day and the same to be expended by a committee from Post 131 of the American Legion. A unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,300.00 for the general expense of the School Department or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$35,300.00.

Upon motion of Louis B. Tuck it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,300.00 for the general expense of the School Department. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the general expense of the Highway Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$12,000.00.

Upon motion of Ralph E. Cox it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,000.00 for the Highway Department. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the expense of the General Government of

the Town, viz.: Town officers' salaries and expenses, care of municipal buildings, elections and registrations, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$6,800.00.

Upon motion of George H. Bancroft it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,800.00 to cover the expense of the General Government of the Town, viz.: Town officers' salaries and expenses, care of municipal buildings, elections and registrations.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover protection, including Police, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Inspection of Animals and Sanitation, and specify how this money is to be divided among the aforesaid departments.

Recommend: Police, \$2,400.00; Sealer of Weights and Measures, \$150.00; Inspector of Animals, \$50.00; Health and Sanitation, \$50.00.

Upon motion of John Ward it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,650.00 for the protection of persons and property, divided as follows: Police Department \$2,400.00; Sealer of Weights and Measures, \$150.00; Inspector of Animals, \$50.00; Health and Sanitation, \$50.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover Department of Charities, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$2,000.00.

Upon motion of Ralph E. Cox it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the Department of Charity. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be known as the Reserve Fund, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$1,500.00.

Upon motion of John Ward it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to be known as the Reserve Fund. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,270.00 for the operation of street lighting for the ensuing year.

Recommend \$3,270.00.

Upon motion of George M. Roundy it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,270.00 for the operation of street lighting for the ensuing year. Unanimous vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the maintenance expense of the Fire Department for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$3,000.00.

Upon motion of William W. Moxham it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the maintenance expense of the Fire Department for the ensuing year. Unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for repairing the fire alarm system.

Recommend \$500.00.

Upon motion of William W. Moxham it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for repairing the fire alarm system. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,050.00 to be used for hydrant rental in Lynnfield Water District for the year 1928.

Recommend \$1,050.00.

Upon motion of William W. Moxham it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,050.00 to be used for Hydrant Rental in Lynnfield Water District for the year 1928. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover payment of interest on debts and loans becoming due the current year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$2,500.00.

Upon motion of George H. Bancroft it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to cover payment of interest on debts and loans becoming due the current year. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to cover payment of notes maturing the current year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$5,000.00.

Upon motion of John Ward it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00, \$2,000.00 of which to be taken from the Essex County Sanitarium Refund to pay the bond becoming due the current year on the Sanitarium. The other bonds to be paid from the \$3,000.00 which is to be assessed in the tax levy of this year. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover payment of State Aid during the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$168.00.

Upon motion of William W. Moxham it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$168.00 to cover payment of State Aid during the ensuing year. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,162.73 to cover payment of State Moth Assessment for the ensuing year or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$1,162.73.

Upon motion of Ralph E. Cox it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,162.73 to cover payment of State Moth Assessment for the ensuing year. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for the use of the Cemetery Commissioners for the caring for and laying out of the Town Cemeteries for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$700.00.

Upon motion of Seth H. Russell as amended by Franklin W. Freeman it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for the use of the Cemetery Commissioners for the caring for and laying out of Town Cemeteries, for the ensuing year and that what may be necessary of this sum, not to exceed \$50.00 be expended on the Orne lot in the old cemetery which has been endowed but neglected by mistake for several years. Unanimous vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$560.73 to cover the Town's share of expenses incurred during the year 1927 in maintaining the Essex Sanitarium under the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, or what action it will take thereon. Recommend.

Upon motion of Oscar E. Phillips it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$560.73 to cover the Town's share of expenses incurred during the year 1927 in maintaining the Essex sanitarium under the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the maintenance of Public Library for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$700.00.

Upon motion of Charles Payzant it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for the maintenance of the Public Library for the ensuing year. Unanimous vote.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover expenses of caring for the Town Parks during the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$100.00.

Upon motion of Harry B. Nesbitt it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the care of Town Parks for the ensuing year. Unanimous vote.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden in trimming and caring for the shade trees along the highway, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$150.00.

Upon motion of Peter J. Walsh it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be used by the Tree Warden in trimming and caring for the shade trees along the highways.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden to mow the bushes along the highway, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$250.00.

Upon motion of Peter J. Walsh it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the use of the Tree Warden in mowing bushes along the highway. Unanimous vote.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for private moth work, or what action it will take thereon. Recommend \$700.00.

Upon motion of Franklin W. Freeman it was voted to postpone this article for appropriating money for private moth work. Unanimous vote.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$256.50 to install nineteen additional street lights on Summer Street, connecting the two present lines on said Summer Street.

Recommend \$256.50.

John Wards motion to postpone was not a vote. Upon motion of Joseph F. Smith it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$256.50 to install nineteen additional street lights on Summer Street, connecting the two present lines on said Summer Street. Upon motion of Carl H. Russell it was voted to instruct the Selectmen to have the connection made by the Peabody Electric Light Plant so the lights would burn all night. Carl H. Russell moves to pass over articles 30 and 31, and take up article 32. This was carried.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one additional street light on Parsons Avenue.

Recommend \$13.50.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 to be expended by the Committee on Town Planning and Zoning for the preparation of plans and printing of reports as to suggested Zoning By-Laws, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$700.00.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way Parsons Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on "Plan of House-lots belonging to Starr Parsons situated in Lynnfield, Mass.," dated July 19, 1913, Eastman & Bradford, Civil Engineers. filed with the Town Clerk.

Upon motion of Josiah S. Bonney it was voted to accept as a public way Parsons Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on "Plan of House-lots belonging to Starr Parsons, situated in Lynnfield, Mass.," dated July 19, 1913, Eastman & Bradford, Civil Engineers. filed with the Town Clerk.

Article 30. Upon motion of Edward Fletcher it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one additional street light on Parsons Avenue. Unanimous vote.

Article 31. Edward Fletcher's motion to postpone, not a vote, this was doubted. The moderator appointed as tellers, Fred A. Johnson, Henry W. Pelton and John S. Caldwell. A yea and nay vote was then taken by a show of hands and the result was yea 68, nay 83. Not a vote to postpone.

George Peavey moves to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00, which was voted, to be expended by the Committee, on Town Planning and Zoning, for the preparation of plans, and printing of reports, as to suggested Zoning By-laws.

Article 33. That the Selectmen be and are hereby instructed to co-operate in every way possible with the City Council and Selectmen of the Cities and Towns bordering on Lynnfield in resisting the location of high tension wires in these various Cities and Towns unless such wires are laid under ground through the residential and business sections.

Upon motion of George A. Cornet it was voted that the Selectmen be and are hereby instructed to co-operate in every way possible with the City Council and Selectmen of the Cities and Towns bordering on Lynnfield, in resisting the location of high tension wires in these various Cities and Towns unless such wires are laid under ground through the residential and business sections.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one electric street light on Green Street or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$13.50.

Upon motion of George A. Cornet it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one electric street light on Green Street. Unanimous vote.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Committee on Town Planning and Zoning for another year.

Upon motion of Roswell O. Frazier as amended by Hannah P. Lambert it was voted that the Town Planning board take over the Town Planning and Zoning as already planned by the committee of 1927, to assume its duties and expenditures and discharge the committee.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article 12 at the Annual Town Meeting held on March 14, 1927, whereby the Board of Selectmen was authorized to use a part of the appropriation made under Article 26 at the Annual Meeting held March 9, 1925, in reconstructing Lowell Street from the Peabody line to Main Street.

Upon motion of Joseph F. Smith it was voted to rescind the vote passed under Article 12 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 14, 1927, whereby the Board of Selectmen was authorized to use a part of the appropriation made under Article 26 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1925, in reconstructing Lowell Street from the Peabody line to Main Street. Unanimous vote.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to take the sum of \$2,000.00 from the surplus revenue to be used in reconstructing Main Street in accordance with vote passed under Article 26 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1925.

Recommend \$2,000.00.

A motion by John Ward to postpone was not carried.

Upon motion of Joseph F. Smith it was voted to take \$2,000.00 from the surplus revenue to be used in reconstructing Main Street in accordance with vote passed under Article 26 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1925.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be used as a joint counsel fee in protest against the erection of high tension power lines in Lynnfield, Wakefield, and other communities in Essex County. Same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Recommend \$300.00.

A motion by Joseph F. Smith to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be used as a joint counsel fee in protest against the erection of high tension power lines in Lynnfield, Wakefield and other communities in Essex County. Same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen was lost.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$375.00 to be expended by the Selectmen in the purchase of additional seats for the Town Hall, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$375.00.

Upon motion of George S. Harvey it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$375.00 to be expended by the Selectmen in the purchase of additional seats for the Town Hall. Unanimous vote.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to authorize Lynnfield Post No. 131, American Legion, and its Auxiliary, to use, without remuneration, suitable quarters on the first floor of the Town Hall as a headquarters and meeting Place. Same to be under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen.

Upon motion of Carl H. Russell it was voted to authorize the Post No. 131, American Legion, and its Auxiliary, to use, without remuneration, the room on the first floor of the Town Hall, known as the Committee Room, as a headquarters, and meeting place, and in addition free use of the Hall on the first floor when required for special occasions, such occupancy to be under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous vote.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install an electric street light on Broadway near the Community Church.

Not recommended.

Upon motion of John Ward it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install an electric light on Broadway near the Community Church. Unanimous vote.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for a continuation of the Town Survey, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$500.00.

Upon motion of George H. Bancroft it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the continuation of the Town Survey. Unanimous vote.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for painting the South School Building.

Recommend work be done.

Upon motion of Louis B. Tuck it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to paint the South School Building. One coat outside and one coat inside. Unanimous vote.

APPROPRIATION FOR 1928 TAX LEVY

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Art. 7. Memorial Day | \$ 175.00 |
| Art. 8. Schools..... | 35,300.00 |
| Art. 9. Highway | 12,000.00 |
| Art. 10. General Government | 6,800.00 |
| Art. 11. Protection—Police \$2,400.00. Sealer, \$150.00. Insp. of Animals, \$50.00. Health and Sanitation, \$50.00. | 2,650.00 |
| Art. 12. Charity | 2,000.00 |
| Art. 13. Reserve Fund | 1,500.00 |
| Art. 14. Street Lights | 3,270.00 |
| Art. 15. Fire Department | 3,000.00 |
| Art. 16. Fire Alarm | 500.00 |
| Art. 17. Hydrants | 1,050.00 |
| Art. 18. Interest | 2,500.00 |
| Art. 19. Bonded Debt | 3,000.00 |
| Art. 20. State Aid | 168.00 |
| Art. 21. Moth Department | 1,162.73 |
| Art. 22. Cemeteries | 700.00 |
| Art. 23. Sanitarium maintenance | 560.73 |
| Art. 24. Library | 700.00 |
| Art. 25. Parks | 200.00 |
| Art. 26. Tree Warden | 500.00 |
| Art. 27. Removing Bushes | 600.00 |
| Art. 29. Summer Street Lights | 256.50 |
| Art. 30. Parsons Avenue Lights..... | 13.50 |
| Art. 31. Zoning | 700.00 |
| Art. 34. Green Street Light | 13.50 |
| Art. 39. Town Hall seats..... | 375.00 |
| Art. 41. Church Light, Broadway..... | 13.50 |



Andrew Mansfield

Born in Lynnfield, August 26, 1883. Educated in Lynnfield public schools. Graduated from Wakefield High and Salem Commercial Schools. A sincerely interested citizen and an active member of Chemical Company No. 2. Served on the Finance Committee, as a Library Trustee and at death was a member of the Board of Selectmen.

Died in Lynnfield December 18, 1928.



| | |
|---|-------------|
| Art. 42. Town Survey | 500.00 |
| Art. 43. Painting So. School..... | 400.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total Tax Levy | \$80,608.46 |
| Plus \$2,000.00 from Surplus Revenue..... | 2,000.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| | \$82,608.46 |

TOWN WARRANT FOR SPECIAL MEETING HELD APRIL 9, 1928

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for private moth work or what action it will take thereon.

SPECIAL MEETING HELD APRIL 9, 1928

The meeting was called to order at 8.15 P. M. and the warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. By a vote of the Town, Nelson B. Todd was unanimously elected moderator of this meeting by acclamation. Motion made by Charles W. Pratt.

Article 2. A motion made by Chester W. Pratt to indefinitely postpone was not carried. It was doubted and a rising vote showed 10 having voted to adjourn and 15 not to. It was therefore not a vote. After much discussion it was voted upon a motion of Peter Walsh for \$700.00 and an amendment by Franklin Freeman that it be treated as a separate account and again amended by Charles W. Pratt that it be used only for the extermination of the Brown Tail and Gypsy Moth. This appropriation with its two amendments was carried. Meeting adjourned without date at 10.45 P. M.

TOWN WARRANT FOR SPECIAL MEETING HELD DECEMBER 19, 1928

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to adopt a by-law dividing the Town into districts or zones and regulating the use and construction of buildings and premises as shown and set forth in the report and accompanying plan of the Planning Board, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to use part of the appropriation made for school purposes at the annual meeting in March 1928, to defray bills for school expenses contracted in 1927 and unpaid.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Town of Reading for the installation of additional street lights on Summer street, in the district not served by the City of Peabody, and to pay therefor out of the appropriation made under Article 29, at the Annual meeting in March 1928.

SPECIAL MEETING HELD DECEMBER 19, 1928

The meeting was called to order at 7.30 p. m. and the warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Joseph F. Smith was elected moderator by the Town Clerk, being instructed to cast one vote for same.

Nelson B. Todd made a motion which was duly seconded that the meeting adjourn until January 2, 1929, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., out of respect for the death of Andrew Mansfield, a member of the Board of Selectmen. Motion carried.

Previous to this the Town Clerk was asked to read the following resolution:

Resolved:

That we, the citizens of the Town of Lynnfield, in a special town meeting, assembled December 19, 1928, do hereby express with deep sincerity and regret, the loss of our worthy and beloved Selectman, Andrew Mansfield, and we send our deepest sympathy to his wife and family.

WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lynnfield,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, who are qualified to vote in Primaries, to meet in Town Hall, Precinct 1, and Chemical Hall, Precinct 2, Tuesday, twenty-fourth day of April, 1928, at 4 o'clock P. M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the primary officers for the election of candidates of political parties for the following offices.

7 delegates at large to the national convention of the Republican Party.

7 alternate delegates at large to the national convention of the Republican Party.

8 delegates at large to the national convention of the Democratic Party.

8 alternate delegates at large to the national convention of the Democratic Party.

2 dist. delegates to the national convention of the Rep. Party, 7th Cong. Dist.

2 alternate dist. delegates to the national convention of the Republican Party, 7th Cong. Dist.

4 dist. delegates to the national convention of the Democratic Party, 7th Con. Dist.

4 alternate dist. delegates to the national convention of the Democratic Party, 7th Cong. Dist.

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

Preference for Republican candidate for President of the United States.

Preference for Democratic candidate for President of the United States.

The polls will be open from 4 o'clock P. M. to 8 o'clock P. M., and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, seven days at least before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 9th day of April, A. D. 1928.

FRANK C. NEWHALL,
ANDREW MANSFIELD,
RALPH E. COX,

Selectmen of Lynnfield.

A true copy attest: Albert G. Tedford, constable, April 10, 1928.

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|--------------------|---------|---------|-------|
| Total vote of town | 91 | 28 | 119 |
| Democratic vote | 10 | 2 | 12 |
| Republican vote | 81 | 26 | 107 |

RESULT OF STATE PRIMARIES, SEPTEMBER 18, 1928

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Republican | 239 | 200 | 439 |
| Democratic | 13 | 18 | 31 |
| | <hr/> 252 | <hr/> 218 | <hr/> 470 |

REPUBLICAN VOTE GOVERNOR

| | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Frank G. Allen | 176 | 125 | 301 |
| Frank A. Goodwin | 56 | 74 | 130 |
| Blanks | 7 | 1 | 8 |

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----|-----|
| George A. Bacon | 9 | 8 | 17 |
| Charles Lawrence Burrill | 25 | 26 | 51 |
| Pehr G. Holmes | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| John C. Hull | 65 | 40 | 105 |
| Robert M. Leach | 8 | 22 | 30 |
| Wycliffe C. Marshall | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| John H. Sherburne | 39 | 27 | 66 |
| William Sterling Youngman | 69 | 45 | 114 |
| Blanks | 19 | 22 | 41 |

SECRETARY

| | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Frederic W. Cook | 204 | 170 | 374 |
| Blanks | 35 | 30 | 65 |

TREASURER

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|-----|
| Fred J. Burrell | 56 | 77 | 133 |
| John W. Haigis | 52 | 36 | 88 |
| J. Ernest Kerr | 55 | 22 | 77 |
| Russell A. Wood | 49 | 35 | 84 |
| Blanks | 27 | 30 | 57 |

AUDITOR

| | | | |
|-------------------|----|-----|-----|
| Dwight L. Allison | 5 | 11 | 16 |
| Julia B. Buxton | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| Roland H. Choate | 46 | 27 | 73 |
| Alonzo B. Cook | 97 | 107 | 204 |
| Harvey E. Frost | 46 | 8 | 54 |
| Roswell F. Phelps | 14 | 7 | 21 |
| Blanks | 27 | 35 | 62 |

ATTORNEY GENERAL

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|----|-----|
| Clarence A. Barnes | 83 | 84 | 167 |
| Joseph E. Warner | 136 | 90 | 226 |
| Blanks | 20 | 26 | 46 |

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

| | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|----|-----|
| Butler Ames | 37 | 66 | 103 |
| Eben S. Draper | 59 | 61 | 120 |
| Benjamin Loring Young | 130 | 51 | 181 |
| Blanks | 13 | 22 | 35 |

CONGRESSMAN SEVENTH DISTRICT

| | | | |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| William P. Connery, Jr. | 3 | 16 | 19 |
| Scattering | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Blanks | 233 | 174 | 417 |

COUNCILLOR FIFTH DISTRICT

| | | | |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Arthur Bower | 29 | 14 | 43 |
| Eugene B. Fraser | 129 | 151 | 280 |
| William J. MacInnis | 31 | 8 | 39 |
| Blanks | 50 | 27 | 77 |

SENATOR 3RD ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Cornelius F. Haley | 162 | 142 | 304 |
| Blanks | 77 | 58 | 135 |

THREE REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT 10TH
ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Albert C. Day | 37 | 20 | 57 |
| Mildred G. Dinsmore | 78 | 37 | 115 |
| Harriet R. Hart | 116 | 85 | 201 |
| Frank E. Hawthorne | 89 | 104 | 193 |
| Fred A. Hutchinson | 102 | 89 | 191 |
| Welcome W. McCullough | 39 | 57 | 96 |
| C. F. Nelson Pratt | 41 | 62 | 103 |
| Walter H. Woods | 47 | 22 | 69 |
| Blanks | 168 | 124 | 292 |

TWO ESSEX COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Frederick Butler | 94 | 88 | 182 |
| Robert H. Mitchell | 66 | 63 | 129 |
| Joseph F. Smith | 189 | 154 | 343 |
| Blanks | 129 | 95 | 224 |

CLERK OF COURTS ESSEX COUNTY

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Archie N. Frost | 190 | 166 | 356 |
| Blanks | 49 | 34 | 83 |

REGISTER OF DEEDS ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT

| | | | |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Moody Kimball | 184 | 165 | 349 |
| Mary F. Bowen | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Blanks | 54 | 34 | 88 |

STATE COMMISSIONER 3RD ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|-----|
| George V. L. Meyer | 85 | 75 | 160 |
| George C. Parsons | 84 | 76 | 160 |
| Blanks | 70 | 49 | 119 |

TWO DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION FROM LYNNFIELD

| | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Joseph F. Smith | 202 | 161 | 363 |
| Wesley W. Munroe | 193 | 70 | 363 |
| Josiah S. Bonney | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Blanks | 82 | 69 | 151 |

THREE TOWN COMMITTEE OF LYNNFIELD

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Joseph F. Smith | 188 | 161 | 349 |
| Oscar E. Phillips | 201 | 164 | 365 |
| Wesley W. Munroe | 189 | 171 | 360 |
| Josiah S. Bonney | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Blanks | 138 | 104 | 242 |

DEMOCRATIC VOTE
GOVERNOR

| | | | |
|------------------|----|----|----|
| Charles H. Cole | 12 | 15 | 27 |
| John J. Cummings | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Blanks | 1 | 1 | 2 |

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

| | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|
| John F. Malley | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Charles S. Murphy | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| Blanks | 1 | 3 | 4 |

SECRETARY

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|
| Joseph Santosuosso | 11 | 12 | 23 |
| Blanks | 2 | 6 | 8 |

TREASURER

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|----|
| James P. Bergin | 5 | 9 | 14 |
| Daniel England | 6 | 5 | 11 |
| Blanks | 2 | 4 | 6 |

AUDITOR

| | | | |
|---------------------|---|---|----|
| Strabo V. Claggett | 8 | 7 | 15 |
| Irving Lewis | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Francis J. O'Gorman | 3 | 7 | 10 |
| Blanks | 2 | 2 | 4 |

ATTORNEY GENERAL

| | | | |
|---------------------|---|----|----|
| Edward P. Barry | 8 | 12 | 20 |
| William R. Scharton | 3 | 5 | 8 |
| Blanks | 2 | 1 | 3 |

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

| | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|
| David I. Walsh | 12 | 18 | 30 |
| Blanks | 1 | 0 | 1 |

CONGRESSMAN SEVENTH DISTRICT

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|
| William P. Connery, Jr. | 12 | 18 | 30 |
| John P. Kane | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blanks | 1 | 0 | 1 |

COUNCILLOR 5TH DISTRICT

| | | | |
|------------------|----|----|----|
| William F. Regan | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| Blanks | 2 | 5 | 7 |

SENATOR 3RD ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|
| Scattering | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Blanks | 13 | 16 | 29 |

THREE REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT
10TH ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|
| Michael H. Cotter | 10 | 13 | 23 |
| Tony A. Garofano | 10 | 15 | 25 |
| Edward A. McNerney | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| John J. Muller | 7 | 5 | 12 |
| Daniel J. O'Connor, Jr. | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| Blanks | 6 | 11 | 17 |

TWO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ESSEX COUNTY

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|----|
| Joseph F. Smith | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Marcus Pettingell | 9 | 1 | 10 |
| Daniel Conery | 9 | 1 | 10 |
| Blanks | 7 | 29 | 36 |

CLERK OF COURTS ESSEX COUNTY

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|----|----|
| Archie N. Frost | 6 | 5 | 11 |
| John A. Murphy | 2 | 12 | 14 |
| Blanks | 5 | 1 | 6 |

REGISTER OF DEEDS, ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT

| | | | |
|---------------|---|----|----|
| Mary F. Bowen | 9 | 4 | 13 |
| Blanks | 4 | 14 | 18 |

STATE COMMISSIONER 3RD ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|------------------|---|----|----|
| Charles M. Boyle | 7 | 11 | 18 |
| Blanks | 6 | 7 | 13 |

TEN DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION FROM LYNNFIELD

| | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|
| Donald Urquhart | 10 | 12 | 22 |
| Joseph A. Donovan | 12 | 17 | 29 |
| John J. Gilbo | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| Mary F. Bowen | 12 | 13 | 25 |
| Patrick J. Bowen | 12 | 13 | 25 |
| John J. Bowen | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| Patrick J. Dalton | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| Martin J. Cain | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| James D. McNamara | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| Walter A. Sheehan | 11 | 16 | 27 |
| Blanks | 18 | 40 | 58 |

TEN TOWN COMMITTEE, LYNNFIELD

| | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|
| Donald Urquhart | 10 | 14 | 24 |
| Joseph A. Donovan | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| Patrick H. Bowen | 12 | 13 | 25 |
| John J. Gilbo | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| Mary F. Bowen | 12 | 14 | 26 |

| | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|-----|
| John J. Bowen | 12 | 13 | 25 |
| Patrick J. Dalton | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| Walter A. Sheehan | 11 | 16 | 27 |
| Scattering | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Blanks | 37 | 67 | 104 |

RESULT OF STATE AND PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

NOVEMBER 6, 1928

The Election officers in Prec. 1 were Franklin W. Freeman, Warden; William H. Sheeche, Clerk; Everett Richards and Clarence Hall, Checkers; Daniel J. McCarthy, and John Solari, Tellers; Carl Russell and Sidney Richards, Inspectors. Prec. 2, Wesley W. Munroe, Warden; Joseph A. Donovan, Clerk; William R. Delamator and Sidney M. Eaton,, Checkers; Harold W. Treameer and James D. MacNamara, Inspectors.

The total vote of the Town was Prec. 1—445 Prec. 2—401 Total—846

WORKERS PARTY

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|
| Foster and Gitlow | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|-------------------|---|---|---|

REPUBLICAN PARTY

' Delegates At Large

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Hoover and Curtis | 372 | 302 | 674 |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|

SOCIALIST LABOR

| | | | |
|----------------------|---|---|---|
| Reynolds and Crowley | 0 | 1 | 1 |
|----------------------|---|---|---|

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|-----|
| Smith and Robinson | 68 | 90 | 158 |
|--------------------|----|----|-----|

SOCIALIST PARTY

| | | | |
|---------------------|---|---|---|
| Thomas and Maurer | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| Presidential Blanks | 0 | 5 | 5 |

GOVERNOR

| | | | |
|--|-----|-----|-----|
| Frank G. Allen, Republican | 366 | 296 | 662 |
| Chester W. Bixby, Workers | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Charles H. Cole, Democratic | 67 | 90 | 157 |
| Washington Cook, Vigorous Prohibition | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Mary Donovan, Socialist | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Edith Hamilton MacFadden, Ind. Citizen | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stephen J. Surridge, Socialist Labor | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Blanks | 12 | 10 | 22 |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| John Corbin, Workers | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| Henry C. Hess, Socialist Labor | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Walter S. Hutchins, Socialist | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| John B. Malley, Democratic | 50 | 78 | 128 |
| William Sterling Youngman, Republican | 363 | 288 | 651 |
| Blanks | 27 | 27 | 54 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

SECRETARY

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Harry J. Canter, Workers | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Frederic W. Cook, Republican | 361 | 292 | 653 |
| Oscar Kinsalas, Socialist Labor | 1 | 4 | 5 |
| Joseph Santosuosso, Democratic | 43 | 67 | 110 |
| Edith M. Williams, Socialist | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Blanks | 37 | 38 | 75 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

TREASURER

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| James P. Bergin, Democratic | 49 | 69 | 118 |
| Albert Sprague Coolidge, Socialist | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| John W. Halgis, Republican | 359 | 285 | 644 |
| Albert Oddie, Workers | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Charles S. Oram, Socialist Labor | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blanks | 33 | 41 | 74 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

AUDITOR

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| John W. Aiken, Socialist Labor | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Alonzo B. Cook, Republican | 347 | 284 | 631 |
| David A. Eisenberg, Socialist | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Eva Hoffman, Workers | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Francis J. O'Gorman, Democratic | 57 | 67 | 124 |
| Blanks | 40 | 46 | 86 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

ATTORNEY GENERAL

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|----|-----|
| Edward P. Barry, Democratic | 56 | 74 | 130 |
| Morris I. Becker, Socialist Labor | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Max Lerner, Workers | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| John Weaver Sherman, Socialist | 1 | 3 | 4 |

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Joseph E. Warner, Republican | 354 | 278 | 632 |
| Blanks | 33 | 43 | 76 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| John J. Ballam, Workers | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Alfred Baker Lewis, Socialist | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| David I. Walsh, Democratic | 87 | 121 | 208 |
| Benjamin Loring Young, Republican | 336 | 258 | 594 |
| Blanks | 20 | 20 | 40 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

CONGRESSMAN SEVENTH DISTRICT

| | | | |
|--|-------|-------|-------|
| William P. Connery, Jr., Rep. and Dem. | 244 | 267 | 511 |
| Blanks | 201 | 134 | 335 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

COUNCILLOR FOR FIFTH DISTRICT

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Joseph A. Dion, Socialist | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| Eugene B. Fraser, Republican | 339 | 280 | 619 |
| William F. Regan, Democratic | 49 | 67 | 116 |
| Blanks | 54 | 53 | 107 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

SENATOR THIRD ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Cornelius F. Haley, Republican | 281 | 260 | 541 |
| Blanks | 164 | 141 | 305 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

THREE REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT, TENTH ESSEX DISTRICT

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Michael H. Cotter, Democratic | 47 | 64 | 111 |
| Tony A. Garofano, Democratic | 97 | 149 | 246 |
| Harriet R. Hart, Republican | 291 | 208 | 499 |
| Fred A. Hutchinson, Republican | 284 | 233 | 517 |
| Daniel J. O'Connor, Jr., Democratic | 49 | 83 | 132 |
| C. F. Nelson Pratt, Republican | 218 | 203 | 421 |
| Blanks | 349 | 263 | 612 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 1335 | 1203 | 2538 |

TWO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ESSEX COUNTY

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----|------|
| Frederick Butler, Republican | 331 | 281 | 612 |
| Charles S. Grieves, Socialist | 8 | 4 | 12 |
| James Arthur Mitchell, Socialist | 4 | 7 | 11 |
| Robert H. Mitchell, Republican | 328 | 267 | 595 |
| Blanks | 219 | 243 | 462 |
| | — | — | — |
| Total | 890 | 802 | 1692 |

CLERK OF COURTS, ESSEX COUNTY

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Archie N. Frost, Republican | 338 | 281 | 619 |
| Nathan Huntington, Socialist | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| John A. Murphy, Democratic | 43 | 71 | 114 |
| Blanks | 64 | 46 | 110 |
| | — | — | — |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

REGISTER OF DEEDS, ESSEX SOUTHERN DISTRICT

| | | | |
|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Mary F. Bowen, Democratic | 88 | 99 | 187 |
| Moody Kimball, Republican | 313 | 253 | 566 |
| Blanks | 44 | 49 | 93 |
| | — | — | — |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Shall the proposed law which provides that it shall be lawful in any city which accepts the act by vote of its city council and in any town which accepts the act by vote of its inhabitants, to take part in or witness any athletic outdoor sport or game, except horse racing, automobile racing, boxing or hunting with firearms, on the Lord's day between 2 and 6 P. M.; that such sports or games shall take place on such playgrounds, parks or other places as may be designated in a license issued by certain licensing authorities; that no sport or games shall be permitted in a place other than a public playground or park within one thousand feet of any regular place of worship; that the charging of admission fees or the taking of collections or the receiving of remuneration by any person in charge of or participating in any such sport or game shall not be prohibited; that the license may be revoked; and that in cities and towns in which amateur sports or games are permitted under existing law such amateur sports or games may be held until the proposed law is accepted or the provisions of the existing law fail of acceptance on resubmission to the people, which law was disapproved in the Senate by a vote of 9 in the affirmative and 22 in the negative, and in the House of Representatives by a vote of 93 in the affirmative and 110 in the negative, be approved?

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|--------|---------|---------|-------|
| Yes | 111 | 162 | 273 |
| No | 248 | 143 | 391 |
| Blanks | 86 | 96 | 182 |
| | — | — | — |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY

Shall the senator from this district be instructed to vote for a resolution requesting Congress to take action for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, known as the prohibition amendment?

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|--------|---------|---------|-------|
| Yes | 145 | 154 | 299 |
| No | 223 | 168 | 391 |
| Blanks | 77 | 79 | 156 |
| | — | — | — |
| Total | 445 | 401 | 846 |

RECOUNT

A recount for Governor, Attorney General and Representatives was held Wednesday evening in the Town Hall at 7.30 o'clock. The Board of Registrars, and Carl H. Russell, Clarence A. Hall and Franklin W. Freeman as assistants, officiated. Representatives of the Democratic and Republican candidates concerned were present. The changes were: for Governor, none. For Attorney General, Warner gained 2 and Barry lost 1. For Representatives, Cotter lost 1, Garofano lost 1, Hart lost 5, Hutchinson gained 3, O'Connor Jr., no change and Pratt lost 13. The vote as above recorded is as corrected.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS RECORDED IN LYNNFIELD IN 1928

(Any errors or omissions in births, marriages or deaths should be promptly reported to Town Clerk)

| DATE | NAME OF CHILD. | NAME OF PARENTS |
|----------|-------------------------------|--|
| Jan. 26 | Harry Edward Long | William B. and Alice E. (Foss) |
| Mar. 19 | Edwin Calvin Weeks | Edwin C. and Irene (Preston) |
| Apr. 10 | William James Pyburn | Thomas W. and Sarah E. (McFarland) |
| Apr. 21 | Claire Smith | James G. and Marion I. (Huckins) |
| May 11 | William Arnold Wilkinson | Walter E. Jr. and Leslie M. (Payzant) |
| May 22 | Samuel Frost Cheney | Samuel F. and Cecile M. (Cloon) |
| June 22 | June Hunter | Fred and Mary (MacNeill) |
| June 26 | Lawrence Grant Williams | Alexander G. and Freida A. (Barter) |
| June 27 | Louise Dorothy Badaracco | George A. and Beatrice A. (Hannagan) |
| July 6 | Elmer Frederick Melanson, Jr. | Elmer F. and Gertrude E. (Orber) |
| July 16 | Virginia Shabbas | John and Diane (Cromidas) |
| July 23 | Walter Allen Sheehan, Jr. | Walter and Katherine (Murphy) |
| Aug. 25 | Paul Frederick Jackman | Frederick and Katherine (Wood) |
| Sept. 10 | Richard Dutton Pope | Raymond F. and Elizabeth (Ellis) |
| Sept. 17 | Gladys Rose Kondrup | Alfred B. and Dorothy (Shepard) |
| Oct. 3 | Marjorie Etta Preston | Clarence M. and Margaret (Urquhart) |
| Oct. 26 | Margaret Karin Berg | Sven A. and Catherine M. (Queern) |
| Oct. 27 | George Sterling Powell | Sterling W. and Alice (Chamberlain) |
| Nov. 1 | Jean Marie Westover | Ernest W. and H. Louise (Daly) |
| Nov. 9 | Hugh David Maxwell | Morrill Y. and Helena J. (Eagles) |
| Nov. 12 | Donald Richard McLaughlin | Ellsworth N. and Hazel A. (Griffith) |
| Dec. 21 | Curtis Gilman Harvey | Everett E. and Georgia D. (Richardson) |

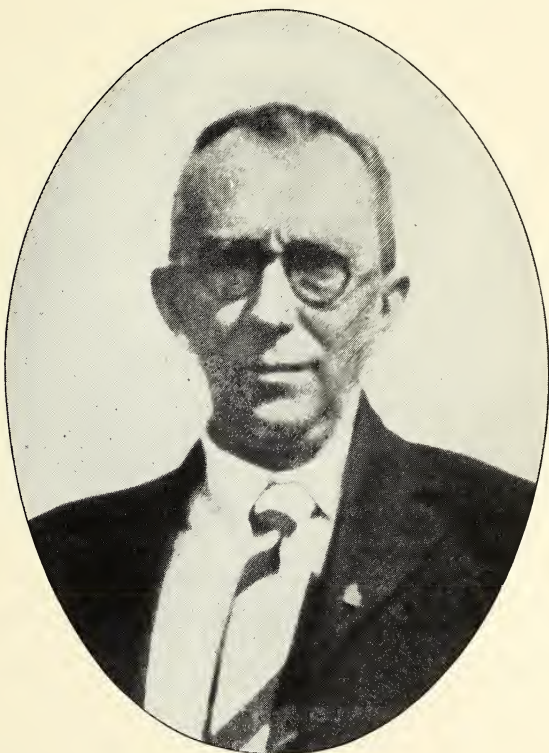
MARRIAGES RECORDED IN LYNNFIELD, 1928

| Date | Place of Marriage | Name of Groom and Bride | Residence |
|---------|-------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| Jan. 1 | Lynnfield | Edward Arpiarian | Lynnfield |
| | | Dorothy Berberian | Lynnfield |
| Jan. 14 | Franklin | Edward S. Averell | Lynnfield |
| | | Leah Helen Wright | Lynnfield |
| Mar. 10 | Boston | Louis T. Hunter | Lynnfield |
| | | Violet E. Barton | Lynnfield |
| Mar. 31 | Lynnfield | Henry Walter Meuse | Lynnfield |
| | | Margaret Peterson | Lynn |
| Apr. 7 | Lynnfield | Charles Randall Jones | Revere |
| | | Lillie E. Smith (Hoffman) | Lynnfield |
| Apr. 8 | Lynnfield | Chas. T. W. Williams | Winchester |
| | | Hazel Evelyn Schefisch | Lynnfield |
| Apr. 14 | Wakefield | Charles Warren Smith | Wakefield |
| | | Evelyn E. Delamater | Lynnfield |
| May 20 | Lynnfield | Richard E. Field | Ashfield |
| | | Winifred M. Howes | Ashfield |
| June 20 | Saugus | George Wallace Sargent | Lynnfield |
| | | Marie Gallant | Saugus |
| June 20 | Lynn | Alfred Lawson Sanford | Lynn |
| | | Ethel Eaton | Lynnfield |
| June 28 | Lynnfield | Elvin Edward Russell | Lynnfield |
| | | Elizabeth Marie Michard | Salem |
| July 7 | Lynnfield | Gordon Holmes Millar | Lynnfield |
| | | Thelma Evangeline Crouse | Lynnfield |

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| July 14 | Lynn | Allan Bernard Bethume | Lynn |
| Aug. 8 | Wakefield | Ruth Elizabeth Hayward | Lynnfield |
| | | Harry Franklin Lawrence | Lynnfield |
| Sept. 8 | Wakefield | Grace Lillian Tuttle | Lynnfield |
| | | Arthur H. Bancroft | Lynnfield |
| Sept. 29 | Stoneham | Eunice Williams | Wakefield |
| | | Charles P. Keyes | Brookline |
| Nov. 10 | Lynnfield | Kathleen (Frazier) Cass | Lynnfield |
| | | Frank Chauncey Rich | Lynn |
| Nov. 18 | Beverly | Frances Rachel Hartshorn | Lynnfield |
| | | Melville Almon Pratt | Lynnfield |
| | | Ruth Veronica Harrington | Beverly |

DEATHS RECORDED IN LYNNFIELD, 1928

| Date | Name of Deceased | Y | M | D | Cause |
|---------|------------------------|----|----|----|---------------------------------|
| 1927 | | | | | |
| Nov. 26 | Alexander Fullerton | 84 | — | — | Fracture left hip. (Accidental) |
| 1928 | | | | | |
| Jan. 5 | Katherine E. Tedford | 80 | 10 | 1 | Arterio Sclerosis |
| Jan. 10 | Walter Deans | 56 | — | — | Heart Disease |
| Jan. 11 | Mabel A. Walsh | 30 | 5 | 28 | Chronic Endocarditis |
| Feb. 13 | Patrick B. Kierman | 77 | — | — | Cerebral Hemorrhage |
| Feb. 16 | Frank Craig Stuart | 52 | 3 | 5 | Myocarditis |
| Mar. 8 | Emma L. MacKean | 78 | — | 23 | Chronic Heart Disease |
| Mar. 13 | Grace E. Moulton | 46 | 2 | 16 | Uraemia Septicemia |
| Mar. 27 | Thomas H. Peabody | 87 | 5 | 2 | Broncho Pneumonia |
| May 5 | Sterous Maskas | 35 | 9 | 4 | Accident at R. R. Crossing |
| May 5 | Pauline W. Kennedy | 28 | 11 | 24 | Accident at R. R. Crossing |
| May 5 | Mary J. Kennedy | 68 | — | — | Accident at R. R. Crossing |
| May 5 | Virginia Pollett | 4 | — | — | Accident at R. R. Crossing |
| May 25 | Howard Martin Taylor | 39 | — | 3 | Carbon Monoxide Poisoning |
| May 25 | George J. Hayes | 63 | — | — | Drowned |
| June 1 | Ella L. Abbott | 66 | 2 | 26 | Chronic Myocarditis |
| June 15 | William Walden | 68 | 10 | 8 | Carcinoma |
| June 25 | George Linville Gove | 79 | 11 | 28 | Arterio Sclerosis |
| June 29 | Caroline V. Russell | 85 | 11 | 4 | Chronic Nephritis |
| July 12 | Frederick A. Trefethen | 81 | 5 | 26 | Pulmonary Carcinoma |
| Aug. 22 | William Smith | 77 | — | — | Senile Decay |
| Aug. 23 | Bridget T. Lynch | 73 | 8 | 17 | Nephritis |



Oscar Eugene Phillips

Born in Lynnfield, November 1, 1874.

Died in Lynnfield, January 4, 1929.

Served the Town continuously as Town Clerk from the date of
his first election, March 9, 1908.

Served as Town Accountant since December 10, 1917.

For more than 25 years, connected with the Fire Department, and a
Lieutenant in the Department since January 1, 1922.



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| Sept. 11 | Edward T. Earle | — | 9 | 18 | Intestinal Grippe |
| Oct. 2 | Gerald V. Arsnault | — | — | 4 | Cerebral Hemorrhage |
| Oct. 7 | Marjorie Etta Preston | 66 | 1 | 10 | Septic Gall Bladder |
| Nov. 22 | Ludwig Moxie | 45 | 3 | 22 | Influenza Pneumonia |
| Dec. 18 | Andrew Mansfield | 72 | 7 | 11 | Chronic Myocarditis |
| Dec. 24 | Otis L. Ingalls | 70 | — | — | Broken neck from fall |

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TOWN PLANNING

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield:

At the Annual Town Meeting in March, 1927, a by-law was adopted providing for a Town Planning Board, to consist of five members to be elected annually at the same time and by written ballot as in the case of the other elective officers in the town.

As the election of town officers in 1927 had been held previous to the action upon the articles in the warrant, the election of the Town Planning Board necessarily went over until the annual election of town officers as a part of the annual meeting in March 1928. Therefore, in March 1928, as a part of the Annual Town Meeting, the members of the first Planning Board were elected.

In acting upon the articles in the warrant at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1928, the Town voted that the Planning Board should continue the work commenced by the Zoning committee and should prepare a plan of the town, dividing the town into zones, and submit at a special meeting a proposed zoning by-law.

Carrying out the instructions of the town, the Board have held meetings and through the firm of Morse & Dickinson, Civil Engineers, have prepared a plan of the town, designating on the map proposed zones, and have drafted for submission to the Town a proposed zoning by-law.

In December, 1928, at the request of the Board, a special meeting was called to be held on December 19, to consider the plan and by-laws. When the meeting was held, however, it was adjourned as a mark of respect to the late Andrew Mansfield, who at the time of his death was a selectman of the town, the adjourned meeting to be held on January 3, 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL H. RUSSELL,
H. LOUISE WORTHEN,
MARTHA D. MANSFIELD,
ERNEST P. LANE,
NELSON B. TODD,

Planning Board.

December 31, 1928.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1928. There have been 24 arrested in Lynnfield by Lynnfield Police and 27 were arrested by the State Police in Lynnfield for disturbing the peace, drunkenness, operating under the influence of liquor, and attaching number plates, operating without

lights, leaving the scene of accident, operating so as to endanger, trespassing, keeping and exposing intoxicating liquor for sale, operating without a license, operating without license in possession.

We have served 10 summonses for out of Town Police. There have been many accidents this year, one bad one where 4 were killed. An officer has been on duty every night at Lynnfield Square, at the Center on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. The Lynn Police help out when they can.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT G. TEDFORD,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1928.

| | Sealed |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Platform scales over 5,000 | 3 |
| Platform scales under 5,000 | 1 |
| Counter scales | 4 |
| Beam scales | 4 |
| Spring balances | 11 |
| Computing scales platform | 5 |
| Computing scales hanging | 3 |
| Weights avoirdupois | 32 |
| Liquid measures | 65 |
| Gasoline pumps | 32 |
| Gasoline quantity stops | 177 |

Total fees collected \$32.72.

Respectfully submitted,

MINOT H. CARTER,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I have served the balance of the year following the resignation of Walter Gray and have attended to all duties of inspection as required.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. BRYANT,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF DOG CONSTABLE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: During the past year I have tried to enforce the law in regard to dogs. We have had three bad rabies scares but were very fortunate in having no serious trouble.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. BRYANT,

Dog Constable.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: My duties as Inspector of Slaughtering have been very light. I have filed my reports with the State Board of Health, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. BRYANT,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

At the last annual town meeting an appropriation of \$500.00 was made to take care of shade trees. This amount was used to take down dead trees, and to trim up trees where there were low hanging branches, which were dangerous to travel, and to remove dead and dangerous limbs over the highway. Trimming dead limbs from trees on public highways is very slow and dangerous work, and also requires skill and special care not to endanger persons and private property. I hope the appropriation will be much larger, so that more work can be done along this line. This work should be done for the safety of the public.

At the last annual town meeting an appropriation of \$600.00 was made to cut the bushes along the roadsides. This money was spent to the best advantage. All streets that were mowed last year were removed. Also a lot of new work as follows: A large part of Chestnut, Main, Essex, Salem, Summer and Walnut streets were mowed, and all the brush burned. The bushes in some places have not been mowed for a number of years. I think it is much safer for travel if they are kept cut. I hope a similar amount will be made to continue the work done last year.

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN H. TWISS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

We have endeavored to keep the grass and brush cut and cleaned up, in all the cemeteries and this has required much extra work this last year because of the very wet season.

One long avenue on the Southern side of Forest Hills Cemetery has had the soil removed, and the surface gravelled, part of its length. This is very important work because of the weight of the motor vehicles that have to use the avenue. It is hoped that the rest of the graveling can be completed this coming season.

At Willow Cemetery the work of raising the grade, and making available the lots on the front of the cemetery has been continued which is greatly improving the appearance of the cemetery.

The Commissioners have kept up the regular care of the cemeteries and also carried forward these permanent improvements as far as funds would allow, as they believe the citizens want the five cemeteries put in the best condition possible.

We have adopted Cemetery Regulations which will be submitted for the approval of the voters at the town meeting.

For the Cemetery Commission,

SETH H. RUSSELL,

Chairman.

REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF LYNNFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS, ON JANUARY 24, 1929.

FIRST—Cemetery lots shall not be used for any other purpose than as a place of burial for the dead; and all burials therein shall be under the personal charge of the Superintendent of the Cemetery, to whom shall be paid such a fee for opening a tomb or digging a grave as shall be established by the Board of Commissioners, having the care, superintendence and management of said cemetery.

SECOND—That the proprietor of any lot shall have the right to erect stones, monuments, or sepulchral structures, and to cultivate shrubs and plants in the same; but no tree within the lot or border shall be set out, cut down or destroyed without the consent of said Commission.

THIRD—That if any trees or shrubs on any lot shall by means of their roots or branches, or otherwise, become detrimental to the adjacent lots, avenues or paths, or dangerous or inconvenient to passengers, it shall be the duty of said Commissioners for the time being, and they shall have the right to enter into the said lot and remove the said trees

and shrubs or such parts thereof as are thus detrimental, dangerous or inconvenient.

FOURTH—That if any monument or effigy, or any structure whatever, or any inscriptions, be placed in or upon any lot, which shall be determined by the major part of said Commission for the time being to be offensive or improper, the said Commissions, or major part of them, shall have the right, and it shall be their duty to enter upon the said lot and remove the said improper object or objects.

FIFTH—No fence or curbing shall, at any time, be erected or placed in or around any lot except with the approval of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners, and the establishment of the grade of any lot shall be subject to the approval of the said Commissioners.

SIXTH—No tomb shall be constructed or allowed within the bounds of the cemetery, unless by special permission of the said Board of Commissioners, and in such places and in such manner as the said Commissioners shall direct. And no proprietor shall suffer the remains of any person to be deposited within the bounds of his lot for hire.

SEVENTH—Lot owners making improvements on lots that are under perpetual care will be charged with any necessary expense of putting the lots in order, after such improvements are made.

EIGHTH—All foundations of monuments, headstones, markers, or any other erections, must be constructed by the Commissioners or their authorized agents, and all orders or specifications for the same must be made in writing.

NINTH—All lots shall be held subject to the provisions of the laws of the Commonwealth in relation to cemeteries and cemetery corporations and to all by-laws, rules and regulations made and to be made by the said Board of Commissioners.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

The appropriation for Memorial Day, May 30, 1928, \$175.00, was used as follows:

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| Decorating 115 graves semi-annually | \$ 52.50 |
| Parade music | 85.00 |
| Dinner expense | 30.50 |
| Services, Town Hall | 7.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$175.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

T. HAWLEY,
Treasurer of Committee.
For American Legion Post 131.

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

During the past year the usual park work has been done. The appearance of the centre common has been improved considerably by edging the sides, lining out and surfacing the path with rock dust.

We feel that a creditable job has been done at Suntaug Park during the past year. The field is now at a rough grade, and when smoothed out, will make a very desirable playground.

Respectfully submitted,

E. Q. MOULTON,
HARRY B. NESBITT,
RAYMOND R. PEARSON.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: The usual spring scraping of gutters of roads was done. A number of streets broke up, requiring considerable patching.

Arlington St. and Fairview Ave. were rebuilt and surfaced with heavy oil. Essex St. was graded between Forest Hill Ave. and the residence of Daniel Smith. A number of large boulders were removed and the street scarified, and relaid with one coat of oil. I hope this year we will have sufficient funds to complete Essex st.

About all of the streets received a treatment of oil or tarvia.

I hope the town will consider building a shed to house the Highway equipment as this is greatly needed.

Respectfully submitted,

MINOT H. CARTER,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my fifth annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1929. The department responded to 111 bell alarms, some of which were false, and a large number of grass and forest fires, 3 still alarms, making a total of 113 calls.

I regret the fact that I have overdrawn my appropriation, the reason for which is, that I was compelled to expend more on the alarm system than was expected, and to extend the new wiring, not only from House No. 1 to Mansfield Corner, but also to the school house. There has also been some unusually large bills for repairs for the upkeep of the apparatus. However I am grateful to know that we now have a good

new fire alarm line through the main section of the town. It is my desire to build up the alarm system to a dependable point of efficiency. In this I hope for the good will and support of all our citizens, for without such a system the department cannot render its best service.

Major repairs have just been completed on the White Truck for which I am asking for a special appropriation. I also desire to place a box somewhere on Essex street, and one on Highland Ave., as they are much needed in these sections.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM W. MOXHAM, Chief.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

In connection with the conduct of the Centre Library for the past two years our READING COMMITTEE has been Miss Mabel Emery, Miss Katherine Hayward and Miss Gertrude Emery, to whom the Board is much indebted for valued and appreciated suggestions in the selections of worth while books for our Library. Also to others whose valued suggestions have been received with gratitude, among whom are Mrs. Franklin W. Freeman, Mrs. Arthur W. Leavitt, Mr. Leonard Joll, Mr. Leon Pearson, Mr. Tornberg, Mr. John W. Whittier, Supervisor of Schools, The Parent Teacher Association, and those others who may have withheld their names when submitting constructive suggestions or criticisms in connection with valued books for our Library. Due to the diligence of our Librarian, Miss Elizabeth Green, many worth while books have, during the past year, been rebound (renewed) and again set into circulation. Much still remains to be done along these lines. Also the Centre Library needs a cellar and foundation with a heater in cellar. The building is the nucleus of an attractive and efficient library.

W. I. OLMSTED, Secretary.

REPORT OF MAIN LIBRARY, 1928

| | |
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| Number of book patrons | 236 |
| Number of books loaned | 5469 |
| Number of magazine patrons | 26 |
| Number of magazines loaned | 139 |
| Books bought by town | 104 |
| Magazines subscribed for | 7 |
| Received in fines | \$22.90 |
| Gifts received from State | 5 books |
| Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Heath | 38 books |
| Bahai Library Committee, Washington, D. C. | 2 books |
| Centre Club | 4 books |

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| Miss Katherine Haywood | 5 books |
| Dr. and Mrs. Haywood | 5 books |

Magazines from:

Parent-Teacher Association

Mrs. J. S. Bonney

Mrs. F. W. Freeman

Mrs. Chas. Tyacke

Mr. C. O. Blood

Dr. and Mrs. Haywood

Mr. W. I. Olmsted

State certificates given school children for reading:

112 five book certificates.

35 honorary certificates or a 20 book certificate.

Two sets of pictures have been loaned us by the Woman's Educational Association of Mass. Each set was on exhibition 4 weeks.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH W. GREEN,
Librarian.

REPORT OF BRANCH LIBRARY, 1928

Miss Jones of the State Division of Public Libraries made two visits to the South Branch in the fall, and made a most thorough examination of all the books. As a result many books were rebound, a number replaced and some discarded. The new books which were purchased were according to her suggestions. Miss Jones found the supply of reference books inadequate, but because of other needs, and because of the heavy cost of reference books, no new ones were purchased. She made the point that because the library is open only one day a week it is practically useless to the school children for reference work.

Much could be done to make the Library more attractive and serviceable to the community. All books should be better advertised through a wider use of posters, bulletins, and display racks. To this end sufficient funds should be provided.

The South Branch is indebted to several friends for gifts as listed in another report.

It was necessary to make rather extensive repairs during the year. Due to lack of proper foundations and drainage the sills and floor timbers as well as the lower siding were badly rotted. These faults have been corrected and the building is now in good condition. In addition the building was given two good coats of paint and is much improved in appearance. In order to insure the permanency of the work done

it will be necessary to have the building set on a stone or concrete block underpinning.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. CORNET,

Library Trustee.

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| Number of book patrons | 313 |
| Number of books loaned | 5,888 |
| Number of magazine patrons | 148 |
| Number of magazines loaned | 497 |
| Books bought by Town 147, 2 returned | |
| Magazines subscribed for | 9 |
| Received in fines | \$37.10 |
| Received from books and magazines | 2.40 |
| Total | \$39.50 |

Received in gifts:

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| Mrs. Oscar Swain | 1 book |
| Mr. Irving B. Newbegin | 6 books |
| Mr. and Mrs. J. Caunt | 17 books |
| Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoffman | 30 books |
| Mr. George Cornet | 3 books |
| Miss Gertrude Dewing | 4 books |
| Mr. John Richardson Boston (Life of Hoover) | 1 book |
| | 62 books |

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE A. CHIPMAN,

Branch Librarian.

Annual Report
OF THE
School Committee
AND
Superintendent of Schools
Town of Lynnfield
Massachusetts

Year Ending December 31, 1928

SCHOOL COMMITTEE 1928

| | | | | | |
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| Louis B. Tuck, Chairman | . | . | . | . | Term expires 1929 |
| Martha D. Mansfield, Secretary | . | . | . | . | Term expires 1930 |
| Clarence A. Studley | . | . | . | . | Term expires 1931 |

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 1928

It is generally considered that education is a fundamental of good government. In a democracy, where all the power is derived from the people, through the means of universal suffrage, the nature of the government, even its perpetuity, is dependent upon the qualifications which the electorate possesses for exercising the function of voting, and for supporting the institutions of the social order resulting therefrom. These qualifications are determined by various agencies, but of them all, the one which the State makes compulsory upon all its Youth, is Education.

Compulsory education is the means by which the State seeks to make of the boys and girls of today, the intelligent and sound-voting citizenry of tomorrow. This being an accepted fact, it follows that educational undertakings must be so organized, and carried on in such a manner and to such an extent as to produce the desired results.

What is expected of education today? The development of character and civic responsibility, health, knowledge, thrift, ability and willingness to do useful work or to make worthy use of leisure. This is definitely laid upon the schools of today, and is the goal at which we aim in the interest alike of the individual and of society.

The schoolhouse, with a seat for every pupil along with a few books, is not sufficient for the needs of the times. More varied undertakings demand more varied provisions. Assembly rooms, varied laboratories and shops, especially equipped commercial rooms, and music, art, community, clinic, gymnasiums and playgrounds, these are some of the additional provisions indicated by the present day. It should be borne in mind that the Schools do not create these demands. The state of society, the great undertaking of training children to be supports of organized society, creates them. The schools but respond to the demands to the extent that they are given the means for doing so.

This transition from the simpler to a more complex organization, is of necessity accompanied by requests for things which can only be furnished by appropriations of larger sums of money. Thus it happens that "the schools are always asking for more money."

Our schools are organized to meet the needs of the day.

A yearly physical examination of the pupils has been our custom. This examination is required by law. Last year we had a special examination to discover any defects likely to interfere with school work, and to furnish information by means of which the health of pupils may be safeguarded and improved. Our contagious disease regulations were promulgated, and copies distributed to the pupils in each school.

Your School Committee had been cognizant of the fact that the accommodations of the Wakefield High School were considerably over-taxed, and on this account had requested the Wakefield School Committee to give us one year's notice when they felt they must reduce the

number of pupils they could take care of in the High School. Last September the Wakefield School Committee reluctantly notified us of their inability to accept our pupils graduating next June.

Negotiations were entered into with the Lynn School Department, and they graciously expressed a willingness to accommodate our pupils.

The Educational Department of the Commonwealth, at our request, made a complete survey of the educational requirements of the town, and recommended, if a building program was compulsory, that one structure be erected near the center of the town, and that this building contain both a Junior and Senior High School. This would relieve the congestion in our primary schools, by providing for the seventh and eighth grades in the new building, and would necessitate a change from our present plan of eight years in the primary and four years in the high school to the modern plan of six years in the primary, three years in the Junior and three years in the Senior High School.

The cost of erecting this structure was carefully considered, but thought to be impractical on account of the cost of a building with the facilities for a modern High School. Lynnfield children have always had the privilege of attending a first-class High School, in Wakefield, Peabody or Lynn, and to use such a building as we could afford to build at this time, we felt would be a step backward.

Due to a reconsideration of a building program by the Wakefield School Committee negotiations were again entered into with them. This finally resulted in a re-arrangement of the tuition on a basis fair to both towns, and we certainly appreciate the interest shown by the members of the Wakefield School Committee in the welfare of the Lynnfield children. During these meetings it was clearly demonstrated that their willingness to assist us was only limited by their duty to the tax payers of the town of Wakefield.

For the City of Lynn we shall always have a feeling of gratitude for the neighborly assistance they offered us.

In an attempt to improve its educational facilities, Essex, one of the Towns in our School Union, desired to withdraw, and form a new union with the Town of Manchester. On account of the fact that the Chairman of your Committee is Chairman of the Union, much of the work attendant upon the dissolution of the old, and the formation of a new Union of the remaining towns, fell upon him. In the re-allotment of the Superintendent's time, Lynnfield was successful in increasing its share.

The maintenance of the public schools is one of the most important enterprises in which any community engages. By reason of its size and the character of the provisions which must be made for its successful carrying on, this undertaking is one of the most costly of all public works. It is necessary therefore, that the management of the public schools should at all times have in mind the obligation to make a wise

and prudent use of public money in administering the trust confided to it.

In this spirit your Committee conducted twenty-one meetings last year. It has striven to maintain the two schools in Lynnfield, and provide High School facilities in Wakefield with such an economical use of money as is dictated by the resources of our town.

The Chairman appreciates the co-operation given by the other members of the Committee, and heartily thanks them for the effort they must have made to be present at every meeting, and also to Mr. Whittier, our Superintendent, for his response to the many additional demands made upon him during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS B. TUCK, Chairman.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | |
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| Appropriation | \$35,300.00 |
| Special appropriation painting South School..... | 400.00 |
| Allowance by finance committee | 23.05 |
| Refund on Insurance | 28.73 |

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|--------------------|-------------|
| Expenditures | \$35,751.78 |
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Expenditures:

School Committee

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Salary | \$ | 25.00 | |
| Clerk | | 100.00 | |
| Other expenses | 57.33 | \$ | 182.33 |

Superintendent

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|------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Salary | \$ | 600.00 | |
| Clerk | | 144.50 | |
| Office expense, travel | 93.08 | | 837.58 |

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|-------------------|--|--|--------|
| Supervisors | | | 610.00 |
|-------------------|--|--|--------|

Teachers' Salaries

| | | | |
|----------------------------|-------|----------|-----------|
| Ona K. Ridley | \$ | 1,750.00 | |
| Bernice A. Munroe | | 1,450.00 | |
| Laila D. Pollard | | 1,490.00 | |
| Elizabeth Deans | | 680.00 | |
| Emma Williams | | 410.00 | |
| Althea Robinson | | 1,640.00 | |
| Blanche Hallowell | | 1,440.00 | |
| Katherine Higgins | | 1,500.00 | |
| Mildreth Parkhurst | | 1,140.00 | |
| Mrs. H. W. Tremer | | 80.00 | |
| Mrs. Raymond Chadwick..... | | 10.00 | |
| Mrs. Coffin | | 10.00 | |
| Mrs. Lucas..... | | 10.00 | |
| Mrs. Della Smith | 28.00 | \$ | 11,638.00 |

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|---------------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| Janitors | | | | |
| L. F. Southworth | \$ | 291.66 | | |
| William F. Griffin..... | | 1,015.00 | | |
| Leslie Tenney..... | | 400.00 | | |
| Luther Hastings | | 450.00 | 2,156.66 | |
| <hr/> | | | | |
| Text books and supplies | | | 904.38 | |
| Fuel | | | 778.53 | |
| Miscellaneous operating expenses | | | 563.90 | |
| Repairs | | | 414.40 | |
| Health | | | | |
| Dr. C. E. Montague | | 100.00 | | |
| Nurse and supplies | | 403.64 | 503.64 | |
| <hr/> | | | | |
| Transportation | Grammar | High | | |
| Boston & Maine | 750.00 | 1,750.00 | | |
| Lynnfield | | | | |
| Community | 457.30 | 2,140.00 | | |
| Essex Agricultural | | 39.00 | | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | | |
| | 1,207.30 | 3,929.00 | 5,136.30 | |
| Tuition | | | 10,487.85 | |
| Miscellaneous (matrons-census)..... | | | 359.00 | |
| New Equipment | | | 379.18 | |
| Insurance | | | 400.03 | |
| Painting South School | | | 400.00 | \$35,751.78 |
| | | | | <hr/> |

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,

Dear Madam and Sirs:

I herewith submit my sixth annual report as superintendent of your schools.

For the information of the taxpayers I have devoted the principal part of the report to questions and answers relating to our school system.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

In particular reference to the Lynnfield Schools

What is the population of Lynnfield?

1331 according to census of 1925.

How many children of school age, i. e., between 5 and 16?

297 according to census of 1928.

How many children enrolled in public schools, December 21, 1928?

At Lynnfield, grades 1-8, 244

At High School, grades 9-12, 75 tuition pupils.

What children does the law compel to attend school?

Those between 7 and 16, but a child of 14 may leave school under certain conditions to go to work, providing he has completed the sixth grade.

At what age may a child enter school?

He must be at least five years of age on April 1st preceding his entrance in September. Exceptions are made where pupils pass an intelligence examination in August showing that they have a mental age of five years five months.

ADMINISTRATION

How many members on the school committee?

Three. One member is elected annually.

When does the Committee meet?

Monthly and more often as business demands.

What are the duties of the School Committee?

It has entire charge of the schools. It adopts the budget, determines how it shall be expended, elects teachers, authorizes repairs, considers and approves changes in school organization and courses of study, and is the controlling authority on all matters pertaining to the schools. It appoints the superintendent of schools as its executive officer and holds him responsible for carrying out the policies of the committee and for directing and supervising the work and conduct of all persons employed by the committee.

How many persons are regularly employed by the school committee?

The following:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Superintendent of Schools | 1 |
| Clerk | 1 |
| Teachers | 8 |
| Supervisors, Music and Drawing..... | 2 |
| School Nurse | 1 |
| School Physician | 1 |
| Janitors | 2 |
| Truant Officers | 2 |

ORGANIZATION

How are our schools organized?

Under the 8-4 plan; i. e., eight years in the elementary schools, and four years, to be enrolled elsewhere, in high school.

Is this the most up-to-date plan?

Not so considered by leading school people.

What is considered the most up-to-date organization?

The 6-3-3 plan, i. e., six years in the elementary grades, three years in the junior high and three years in the senior high.

Why is not the junior high plan of organization carried out in Lynnfield?

First, because of lack of school room facilities and second, because of the organization of the Wakefield schools.

Are there many junior high schools in Massachusetts?

There are now 170 junior high schools. The enrollment in junior high schools of Massachusetts in 1928 was 77,824.

What is our plan of promotion?

Promotions are made annually. In a few cases double promotions are made during the year. Approximately 98% of the towns in the state have annual promotions.

The law requires what subjects to be taught in the elementary schools?

Reading, writing, spelling, English language and grammar, geography, arithmetic, drawing, history and the constitution of the United States, civics, physiology and hygiene, good-behavior, indoor and outdoor games and athletic exercises.

What other subjects are now taught in the Lynnfield Schools?

Music, Art, Safety Education and Thrift.

What other subjects may be taught?

Such subjects as the school committee considers expedient may be taught in the public schools.

Is there a kindergarten, evening school, continuation school, Americanization or vocation school class maintained as part of the Lynnfield school system?

No. There does not seem to be a demand for the organization of any of the above.

SCHOOL COSTS

Who determines the amount of money to be spent on the Schools?

The people of the town determine this through the annual appropriation.

What was the school appropriation for 1928?

It was \$35,300.

What per cent of the total appropriation of the town is for the schools?

37%.

What did General Control cost per pupil?

In Lynnfield \$4.39. In the State \$3.62.

What per cent of the school expenditure was for teachers' and supervisors' salaries?

In Lynnfield 34%. In the state 59%. This per cent is low because of the high school pupils attending school out of town.

What is the per pupil cost for teaching?

In Lynnfield \$53.33. In the state \$67.53.

What is the per pupil cost for text-books and supplies?

In Lynnfield \$3.73. In the state \$4.61.

What did operation of the plant cost per pupil?

In Lynnfield \$17.63. In the state \$10.47.

What was the per pupil cost for elementary education?

In Lynnfield \$88.07. In the state \$83.64.

What was the total per pupil cost for high school education?

In Lynnfield \$199.88. In the state \$133.82.

What was the total cost per pupil, both high and elementary, in net average membership?

In Lynnfield \$116.65. In the state \$114.05.

Note: Answers for questions are based upon expenditures for school year ending June 30, 1928 as given in Annual Report, Department of Education Part II.

REIMBURSEMENTS

Does the State reimburse the town of Lynnfield for any part of its expenditures for maintenance of schools?

Yes, the following reimbursements were made during 1928:

- a. General School Fund Part I, \$1,630. This reimbursement is determined by the training, experience and salary of each teacher.
- b. Superintendents' salary, \$290.02. This reimbursement is determined by the portion of salary and travel allowance paid the superintendent.
- c. High School Transportation, \$3,995.13. This reimbursement is determined by several factors, but principally by the fact that not over forty cents per day per high school pupil was paid for transportation.
- d. State Wards, \$326.88. Reimbursement for schooling State Wards.

What per cent of the annual town appropriation for schools was reimbursed to the town of Lynnfield during 1928?

17.6 per cent.

What measures in a degree how much a town can afford to appropriate for maintenance of its public schools?

The valuation of the town per pupil.

What is the valuation per pupil in average membership?

In Lynnfield \$10,587. In the state \$10,245.

What is the rank in valuation per pupil in Lynnfield?

It ranks 80th among 355 cities and towns in the commonwealth.

How does Lynnfield rank in expenditures per pupil from local taxation?

It ranks 82nd among the 355 cities and towns in the commonwealth.

Doubtless those having read this report will feel that "the schools are a great expense." I agree that the schools are an expense but when one considers what is given in return for the expenditure I cannot agree that the expense is too great.

What do we give every pupil in return for the expenditure made to educate him?

Schooling for about 185 days. Transportation to and from school as necessary in an up-to-date conveyance. Housing in a building well heated, ventilated, lighted (South School excepted) and having satisfactory sanitary conditions. A playground at the Center, sufficiently large to accommodate all pupils at their seasonal games. A playground at the South allowing for exercise but not for games. Free text-books and necessary supplies to carry out an up-to-date program of studies. Special supervisors for music and art. Medical inspection and supervision of health of all children. Special clinics for those physically or mentally handicapped. An opportunity to pursue a high school course in one of the best of high schools. Instruction, supervision and guidance by a corps of most able teachers under whose care, parents should feel it a privilege to have their children during the most impressionable years of their life.

The above opportunities tend to keep practically all of our children in school until they have completed a high school course, or its equivalent, and are fitted to enter one of the higher institutions of learning or enter work. And above all these pupils are fitted as no other generation has been, to assume the responsibilities of citizenship.

A quotation from one of leaders in national affairs—President-elect Herbert Hoover—has the following to say regarding the importance of the school. "But after all, our schools do more than merely transmit knowledge and training; they are America itself in miniature, where in purer air and under wise guidance, a whole life of citizenship is lived experimentally with its social contacts, its recreations, its ethical problems, its political practices, its duties and its rewards. Ideals are developed that shape the whole adult life. Experience is gained that is valuable for all the years of maturity. I would be one of the last people in the world to belittle the importance of the exact knowledge that teachers impart to their pupils—as an engineer I set a high value upon precise information—but knowledge, however exact, is secondary to a trained mind and serves no useful purpose unless it is the servant of an ambitious mind, a sound character, and an idealistic spirit. Social values outrank economic values. Economic gains, even scientific gains, are worse than useless if they accrue to a people unfitted by trained character to use and not abuse them."

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A small percentage of failures of promotion throughout the system.
Only one change in the teaching force.

Twenty-six of our pupils graduated from the eighth grade.

Retention of privilege to send tuition pupils to Wakefield High School.

Adoption of following for use,

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Directed History Study Outlines | Grades 6-8 |
| Thought Test Readers | Grades 1-3 |
| New Texts in Physiology and Hygiene | Grades 1-8 |
| Arithmetic Work Books | Grades 3-6 |
| Manuals for Physical Education | Grades 1-6 |
| Manuals for Safety Education | Grades 1-8 |

CONCLUSION

The fine influence the schools are having on the youth of the town is due to the interest and co-operation of parents, school committee and teachers, all of which is greatly appreciated by your superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. WHITTIER,

Superintendent of Schools.

PROFESSIONAL IMPROVEMENT

| Teacher | School | Course |
|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Elizabeth Deans | Boston University | Extra Curricular Activities |
| Emma Williams | Boston University | Extra Curricular Activities |
| Ona K. Ridley | Boston University | Extra Curricular Activities |

ATTENDANCE

The following pupils were perfect in attendance during the school year 1927-1928:

CENTRE SCHOOL

| | |
|----------------|----------------|
| Sylvia Russell | Herbert Smith |
| Julias Rambult | John Doare |
| Leighton Tuck | Frank Caldwell |
| Joseph Donahue | Richard Pratt |

SOUTH SCHOOL

| | |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Meinzie Roper | Granville Hooper |
| Marjorie Falls | Mildred Harvey |
| Lawrence Lamont | John Keefe |
| Geraldine Gilbo | Edna Hayward |
| Warren Falls | Dwight Ayers |

PENMANSHIP

The following pupils received certificates for improvement in Pen-
manship during the school year 1927-1928:

CENTRE SCHOOL

| | |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| Sylvia Russell | Harry Gaston |
| Marguerite Getchell | Phyllis Olmsted |
| Howard Pratt | Edward Nesbitt |

SOUTH SCHOOL

| | |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Ada Schefisch | Roberta MacLeod |
| Lucy Benoit | Evelyn Hilton |
| Dorothy Wilkins | Gordon Kallenberg |

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1929

1929

| | |
|-------------|---------------|
| January 2 | Schools open |
| February 15 | Schools close |
| February 25 | Schools open |
| April 18 | Schools close |
| April 29 | Schools open |
| May 30 | Holiday |
| June 25 | Schools close |

SUMMER VACATION

| | |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| September 9 | Schools open |
| November 11 | Holiday |
| November 27 | Schools close at noon |
| December 2 | Schools open |
| December 20 | Schools close |

SCHOOL CENSUS

As of October, 1928

| | Boys | Girls |
|--|-------|-------|
| Number between five and seven years of age | 28 | 31 |
| Number between seven and fourteen years of age | 92 | 96 |
| Number between fourteen and sixteen years of age | 26 | 25 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Totals | 146 | 152 |
| Total Census | | 298 |

LYNNFIELD TEACHERS' DIRECTORY, JANUARY, 1929

| Name | Schools | Grades or Subjects | Salary | Appoint-ment | Education Last school attended |
|------------------------|---------|--------------------|--------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| Mrs. Ona K. Ridley | South | Gr. 7-8 | \$1750 | 1921 | Farmington Sem. |
| Emma Williams | South | Gr. 5-6 | 1100 | 1928 | Farmington Normal |
| Laila D. Pollard | South | Gr. 3-4 | 1550 | 1925 | Castine Normal |
| Mrs. Bernice A. Munroe | South | Gr. 1-2 | 1450 | 1924 | No. Adams Normal |
| Althea M. Robinson | Center | Gr. 7-8 | 1650 | 1924 | Farmington Normal |
| Blanche L. Hallowell | Center | Gr. 5-6 | 1450 | 1925 | Machias Normal |
| Mildred Parkhurst | Center | Gr. 3-4 | 1200 | 1927 | Castine Normal |
| Mrs. Kath. S. Higgins | Center | Gr. 1-2 | 1500 | 1925 | Leslie Normal |
| Maud L. Thomas | | All Music | 325 | 1923 | Boston University |
| Abbie U. Cragg | | All Drawing | 300 | 1925 | Salem Normal |
| Florence L. Stobbart | | All Nurse | 385 | 1925 | Beverly Hospital |

MEMBERSHIP BY AGES AND GRADES, OCTOBER 1, 1927

AGES

| Grades | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | Ttl. | % Re-tarded |
|-------------------------------------|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|------|-------------|
| 1 | 16 | 16 | 4 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 38 | 5 |
| 2 | | 8 | 20 | 2 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 33 | 9 |
| 3 | | 2 | 12 | 9 | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | 26 | 7 |
| 4 | | | | 7 | 9 | 5 | 3 | | | | | | | | 24 | 12 |
| 5 | | | | | 10 | 11 | | 2 | | | | | | | 23 | 8 |
| 6 | | | | | 2 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 1 | | | | | | 24 | 4 |
| 7 | | | | | | | 11 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 2 | | | | 30 | 13 |
| 8 | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 2 | | | 30 | 13 |
| Total in Grades 1-8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 228 | |
| Total per cent retarded, grades 1-8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 |

REPORT OF SCHOOL SAVINGS AT LYNN INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS

| | South | Lynnfield | Lynnfield Center |
|----------------------------------|-------|-----------|------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928 | | \$139.96 | \$36.96 |
| Deposits | | 386.75 | 95.09 |
| Cash Payments | | 39.20 | 38.67 |
| Transfers to individual accounts | | 266.73 | 84.22 |
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | 220.78 | 9.16 |
| No. of New Accounts | | 9 | 10 |

REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools,

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as Supervisor of Music.

The regular method of Voice Culture, Sight-Reading and Interpretation has been followed as in previous years.

We are also continuing to emphasize Music Appreciation through all

the grades and striving to develop a permanent course. The third case of records have been purchased that we may further the study in this particular subject.

While the child's mind is plastic it should hear the best in music, both vocal and instrumental, and be taught to listen to it intelligently, correlating it with art, physical education, literature and geography, therefore making it a vital part of his life.

A list of twenty-five selections were carefully chosen for study in the seventh and eighth grades during the year.

Grades five and six have been supplied with new music readers which are also used in connection with the music appreciation study.

Much interest was shown in the graduation held in June. Considerable preparation was given to the music for this occasion and was apparently enjoyed by all.

On Parents' Day of Educational Week the grades of the South School specialized in music showing to the visitors how we present our daily lessons, the development of appreciation through the records, and singing.

At Christmas time pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the Center School presented for the Parent-Teachers' Association a short musical play embodying the "Manger Scene."

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the superintendent, school committee and teachers for their loyal support and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE L. THOMAS,

Supervisor of Music.

GRADUATION EXERCISES CLASS OF 1928 LYNNFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Town Hall, Tuesday Evening, June 26, 1928, Eight o'clock

PROGRAM

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| March | Orchestra |
| Prayer of Thanksgiving | Netherland Folk Tune |
| Address | Rev. J. Buckley Glasgow |
| Song, "Anchored" | |
| Presentation of Diplomas | Mr. Louis Tuck |
| | Chairman of School Committee |
| Song, "The Bells of St. Mary's" | |
| March | Orchestra |

CLASS ROLL

| | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Geraldine Margaret Gilbo | Roger Haynes Gerry |
| Ruth Eleanor Griffin | John James Gilbo |
| Caroline Harris Haskell | Donald Albert Huff |
| Edna Lillian Hayward | Gordon Leonard Kallenberg |

Dorothy Irene MacLean
 Marjorie Eleanor Messer
 Dorothy Louise Nesbitt
 Eunice Hazel Pelley
 Florence Ellen Pratt
 Virginia Woodbury
 John Cromidas
 Thomas Dalton
 Warren Henry Falls

Andrew Mansfield
 Carl Randall Olsson
 Francis Ryder Payzant
 Howard Freeman Pratt
 Richard Pyburn
 William Nichols Sparkes
 Byron Christian Stokes
 Gordon Elwin Stokes
 Kenneth Albert Worthen

CLASS MOTTO
 "Ever Onward"

CLASS COLORS
 Blue and White

GRADUATES OF WAKEFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

Nishan Berberian
 Sanborn Caldwell
 Emily Chadbourne
 Milledge Crouse
 Grace Hayward
 Lois Lane

Eleanor MacIntosh
 Harry Maynard
 Florence McManus
 Rachel Olmsted
 Alice Sargent
 Edna Sayers

Lester Simpson

HONOR ROLL

The following pupils were on the Honor Roll during the entire school year 1927-1928:

CENTRE SCHOOL

Joseph Donahue
 Edith Doremus
 Jeannette Griffin
 Donald Huff
 Francis Payzant
 Gordon Tuttle
 Virginia Woodbury

Edith Grant
 Dorothy Lambert
 Beatrice Woodbury
 Dorothy MacLean
 Florence Pratt
 Kenneth Worthen
 John Cromidas

SOUTH SCHOOL

Eunice Pelley
 Elinor McNamara

Edna Hayward
 Florence Harvey

HOME READING WITH SCHOOL CREDIT

Public Library and Public Schools Co-operating

The following pupils received Reading Certificates for having read ten or more books from the approved list:

CENTRE SCHOOL

Grade III

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Arthur Boudreau | 3 | Catherine Boudreau | 1 |
| Harry Gaston | 1 | Herman Earle | 1 |

| | | | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------|---|
| Sarah Rose Gersinovitch | 2 | Barbara Gerry | 4 |
| Dana Pratt | 2 | Arthur Russell | 4 |
| Donald Russell | 4 | Agnes Savage | 1 |
| Eleanor Smith | 2 | Ralph Stearns | 1 |
| Muriel Woodbury | 1 | | |

Grade IV

| | | | |
|----------------|----|-------------------|---|
| Virginia Cox | 2 | Willard Olmsted | 5 |
| Henry Olsson | 7 | Elizabeth Peabody | 8 |
| Amelia Rombult | 13 | Sylvia Russell | 6 |
| Floris Smith | 1 | Sumner Smith | 2 |
| Wendell Smith | 3 | | |

Grade V

| | | | |
|---------------------|---|-----------------|----|
| Margaret Cawley | 1 | Rita Connor | 10 |
| George Doare | | Virginia Gaston | 4 |
| Marguerite Getchell | | Barbara Grace | 4 |
| Miriam Griffin | 1 | Daniel Kelleher | 1 |
| Herbert Smith | | Shirley Tuck | 13 |
| Ruth Tyacke | | | |

Grade VI

| | | | |
|--------------------|---|--------------------|----|
| Ernest Savage | | Julius Rombult | 21 |
| Charlotte Boudreau | 5 | Henry Gersinovitch | |
| John Doare | 9 | Leighton Tuck | 14 |
| Lorna Pratt | | Frank Caldwell | 2 |
| Phyllis Olmsted | 2 | Eleanor Donahue | 16 |
| Raymond Simpson | | Evelyn Knowland | |
| Ralph Connor | | Ruth Nute | 12 |
| Kenneth Huff | 2 | | |

Grade VII

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Joseph Donahue | 3 | Richard Pratt | |
| Pearl Savage | 6 | Dorothy Lambert | 1 |
| Beatrice Woodbury | | Maybelle Lornberg | 6 |
| Austin Stearns | | Edith Doremus | 3 |
| Jeanette Griffin | 3 | | |

Grade VIII

| | | | |
|------------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Gordon Tuttle | 5 | Kenneth Worthen | 4 |
| Dorothy Nesbitt | 7 | Carl Olsson | 1 |
| Caroline Haskell | 6 | Dorothy MacLean | 1 |
| Donald Huff | 5 | Virginia Woodbury | |

SOUTH SCHOOL

Grade III

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|----------------------|----|
| Ada Schefisch | | Dorothy Holland | 1 |
| Frances Sparkes | 2 | June Turnville | 1 |
| Meinzie Roper | 1 | Roberta MacLeod | 11 |
| Bermuline Brannon | | Ellsworth McLaughlin | |
| Granville Hooper | | Harold Taylor | |
| Kenneth Wildes | 1 | Ralph Coombes | |

Grade IV

| | | | |
|------------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Winifred Beckett | | Barbara Thomas | |
| Edith Griffith | 1 | Ethel Hayward | 1 |
| Jeanette Gilbo | 2 | Jane Watson | 1 |
| Marjorie Falls | 2 | Mildred Harvey | |
| Marie Baldini | 3 | Lawrence Lamont | 2 |
| Edward Watson | | | |

Grade V

| | | | |
|----------------|---|------------------|---|
| Dwight Ayers | 6 | Aldov Barile | |
| Lucy Benoit | | Daniel Leichner | 1 |
| Jane Kenney | | Virginia Brannon | |
| Norma Lundholm | 6 | Anna McNamara | 2 |
| Dana Page | | John Ross | |
| Vivian Smith | | | |

Grade VI

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Ivy Baldwin | | Howard Crafts | |
| Francis Dalton | | John Griffith | 4 |
| Evelyn Hilton | 1 | John Keefe | |
| Frances MacLeod | | Ruth Pelley | |
| Robert Shaw | 5 | Barbara Studley | |
| Doris Therrien | | | |

Grade VII

| | | | |
|------------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Grace Griffith | | Lois Hayward | |
| Florence Harvey | 1 | Elinor McNamara | 1 |
| Catherine Ross | | Frank Barile | 2 |
| Roscoe Delamater | | Charles Lane | 6 |
| Roger Mansfield | 1 | Mark Newbegin | |
| Thomas Pyburn | | Robert Hunt | |

Grade VIII

| | | | |
|------------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Geraldine Gilbo | | Pearl Griffith | |
| Edna Hayward | 2 | Marjorie Messer | 1 |
| Eunice Pelley | | Dorothy Wilkins | |
| Thomas Dalton | | Warren Falls | |
| John Gilbo | | Gordon Kallenberg | 6 |
| Andrew Mansfield | 1 | Richard Pyburn | |
| Arthur Sayers | | William Sparkes | 1 |
| Byron Stokes | 1 | | |

Figures denote one star is given for each five books read in addition to the ten books required for the certificate.

REPORT OF DRAWING SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as Supervisor of Drawing.

The drawing course has been continued along the general lines as followed in preceding years, with an effort to make it of more educational value.

Much of the value of art education in schools lies in the forming of habits of exactness and neatness. The importance to industry, of pride in good workmanship, cannot be overlooked. In all our grades we have problems in construction, paper-cutting, folding and use of ruler-measurements which emphasize this side of art-instruction. I have put special emphasis the past year on measuring. I feel that it is important and we cannot start too early in the grades to lay stress on the use of the ruler and accuracy. In the seventh and eighth grades construction work included the making of folders to hold their work and a photograph album for a Christmas project.

An endeavor has been made the past year to keep our room decorations, such as borders and sand-table work as educational as possible, at the same time adding a great deal of appreciation and stimulation to the project. History and geography are also correlated closely through the making of booklets, illustrative and cut-out posters. As usual a great deal of attention has been given in the fifth and sixth grades to water-color work and color study.

Pupils of the seventh and eighth grades again entered the poster competition sponsored by the Massachusetts S. P. C. A. and received the following rewards:

Large Medal (1st):

Eunice Pelly, Edith Doremus.

Honorable Mention:

Andrew Mansfield, Edith Grant, John Cromidas.

Better results can be noted in the poster work each year and we feel quite honored in receiving two large medals as we were the only town in the district receiving any. In addition to this contest, a few

health posters were sent to the annual state-wide contest conducted by the Massachusetts Anti-Tuberculosis League.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation to the Superintendent, School Committee and teachers for their interest and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

ABBIE U. CRAGG,

Supervisor of Drawing.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir: I herewith submit my fourth annual report as School Nurse for the Town of Lynnfield.

PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC

All parents having children entering school in September were notified of a pre-school clinic to be held at the school buildings in June. The physician, Dr. C. Montague, gave all pre-school children a thorough physical examination. Those found with defective teeth, tonsils, etc., are then to be cared for during the summer months.

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----|
| No. enrolled 1st grade, South School | 23 |
|--------------------------------------|----|

| | |
|------------------------------------|---|
| No. attending clinic, South School | 9 |
|------------------------------------|---|

| | |
|-----------------------|---|
| Defects found—Tonsils | 1 |
|-----------------------|---|

| | |
|-------|---|
| Teeth | 1 |
|-------|---|

| | |
|--------|---|
| Glands | 1 |
|--------|---|

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| No. enrolled 1st grade, Center School | 12 |
|---------------------------------------|----|

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| No. attending clinic, Center School | 6 |
|-------------------------------------|---|

| | |
|-----------------------|---|
| Defects found—Tonsils | 2 |
|-----------------------|---|

| | |
|-------|---|
| Teeth | 2 |
|-------|---|

| | |
|--------|---|
| Glands | 1 |
|--------|---|

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Dr. Montague examined all the children at the South and Center Schools. Result of examination follows:

| | No examined | Defects | Notices sent | Corrections |
|----------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Tonsils | 243 | 43 | 43 | 12 |
| Teeth | 243 | 107 | 107 | 60 |
| Heart | 243 | 4 | 4 | |
| Glands | 243 | 20 | 20 | |
| Underweights (10% or more) | 243 | 50 | 50 | |

STANDARD EYE AND EAR TEST

| | | | |
|------|-----|----|----|
| Eyes | 243 | 16 | 16 |
| Ears | 243 | 2 | 2 |

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES AT SOUTH AND CENTRE SCHOOLS

| | | | |
|----------------|----|-------------------|---|
| Measles | 9 | Pneumonia | 1 |
| Mumps | 3 | Cervical Adenitis | 2 |
| Whooping Cough | 31 | Rheumatism | 1 |
| Chicken Pox | 12 | Impetigo | 4 |
| Pediculosis | 8 | Appendectomy | 2 |

HEALTH PROGRAM

The Health Program consists of general inspection once a week for cleanliness, home visits, weighing and measuring of all pupils three times a year. (Underweights and Reactors to Von Pirquet test are weighed once a month.) Talks are given on safety, baths, warm lunches, care of teeth, clean heads, proper rest, etc., clerical work on physical health cards, checking up diseases, defects and corrections made, arranging clinics, and assisting doctors at special clinics.

STATE CLINIC

This year the State Department of Public Health, Division of Tuberculosis, made a general survey throughout our schools. All parents were notified and invited to attend the clinic with their children. The clinic consisted of a thorough physical examination, Von Pirquet test, and those reacting to test, having X-rays of chest. Dr. Sacs and Dr. Martin were in charge of clinic. Children were examined and given test with parents' written consent.

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| No. consents given South and Center Schools | 72 |
| No. examined | 72 |
| No. given test | 72 |
| No. reacting to test | 20 |
| No. X-Rayed | 20 |
| Cases of Hilum Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Classified as suspects | 2 |
| Negative | 17 |

Result of physical examination by State Doctors.

Defects:

Tonsils and Adenoids, 9.

Needing Dentistry, 23.

Heart Disease, 1.

Cases of Malnutrition, not including those found in the positive and suspicious cases—14.

Parents were notified of the defects found at time of examination with suggestions from the State Physicians on how to correct and treat defective cases.

DENTAL WORK

As we have no dental clinic the corrective work accomplished on defective teeth is taken care of by the individual parent. The condi-

tion of the teeth on an average is not very good as can be seen from the report given by Dr. Montague at the time of the physical examination.

POSTURE

Posture pins were awarded to pupils maintaining the best posture during the school year. Pupils receiving posture pins in June were as follows:

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|-------------------|-------------------|
| Frederick Riley | Howard Bezanson |
| Marie Baldini | Alice Caldwell |
| Vivian Smith | Ralph Bangs |
| Frances MacLeod | Amelia Rombult |
| Jeanette Gilbo | Barbara Grace |
| Mildred Harvey | Ruth Nute |
| Lawrence Lamont | John Donahue |
| Hazel Griffith | Beatrice Woodbury |
| Thomas Doyle | John Shabbas |
| Aldo Barrile | Virginia Lambert |
| Margaret Dalton | Willard Olmsted |
| Jeanette Therrien | Henry Olsson |
| Edna Griffith | Raymond Simpson |
| Robert Sayers | Julius Rombult |
| Lois Hayward | John Cromidus |
| Roger Mansfield | Virginia Woodbury |
| Geraldine Gilbo | |

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|----------------------------|----|
| No. of home calls | 70 |
| No. of clerical work hours | 40 |
| No. of simple dressings | 12 |
| Sanitary inspection | 8 |

In closing I wish to thank the teachers, the school committee, parents and superintendent for their co-operation in maintaining the health work throughout the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE L. STOBART, R. N.,
School Nurse.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

January 1, 1929.

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

The Selectmen met and organized March 5th, 1928. Frank C. Newhall, Chairman; Andrew Mansfield, Secretary; and Ralph E. Cox.

Appointments to different departments were made March 19th, 1928.

The nuisance caused by the piggery located off the turnpike was taken care of by the court ordering the owner to vacate the premises.

The committee room in the Town Hall was turned over to The American Legion, Post 131, April 2nd, 1928. The Post have decorated the room with pictures and war trophies which make the room very attractive.

The Mahoney Chair Company of Gardner, Mass., was given the order for 100 chairs and necessary clamps and thresholds.

One application was received for victuallers' and Sunday licenses. These licenses were to be used at a building on land of James W. Harvey, next to the church. These licenses were refused after a public hearing.

The board adopted a set of regulations in regards to the conduct of roadhouses within the town.

A joint meeting of the board and Library Trustees was held to elect a successor to Julius Glasgow, who resigned. George Cornet was chosen to fill the vacancy until the next annual election.

Arthur Bryant was appointed Inspector of Animals, August 6th, 1928, to succeed Walter Gray.

Andrew Mansfield and Rutherford Smith, Town Counsel, attended a hearing at Danvers, in regards to a petition of the Eastern Massachusetts Electric Company to take by eminent domain such lands or such rights of ways or widenings therefor or other easements therein necessary for the construction and use of a line for the transmission of electricity along the route prescribed in the order of this department dated, June 9th, 1927.

The board filed requests for aid in the amount of \$10,000.00 from each State and County for continuing the reconstruction of Main St. At the time of writing this report, we have been informed unofficially that both the State and County Commissioners are favorable of continuing this work on Main St.

The town bounds were perambulated between the Town of Reading, Wakefield and North Reading.

By the death of Mr. Andrew Mansfield, Secretary of the Board of Selectmen on December 18th, 1928, the town lost a most able and upright citizen and town official. Mr. Mansfield was very active and sincere in the performance of his duties, always working for the welfare and future of the town.

By the death of Mr. Oscar E. Phillips, Town Clerk and Accountant,

on January 4th, 1929, the town also lost another most able and upright citizen and town official. Mr. Phillips, who had served the town as clerk and accountant for many years will be much missed by all. He had attained much knowledge through his many years of service, that was of great benefit to his fellow officials of the town. At the time of his death, Mr. Phillips' accountant books were in excellent condition, every account having been posted and balances taken off.

We, the remaining members of the Board of Selectmen, recognize our indebtedness to them and take this opportunity to inscribe in the records our acknowledgment of their value.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH E. COX, (Acting Secretary.)

REPORT OF BOARD OF ASSESSORS

FOR TAX LEVY, 1928

APPROPRIATIONS

| | |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Annual Town Meeting | \$ 80,608.46 |
| Special Town Meeting | 700.00 |
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| | \$ 81,308.46 |
| State Tax | 3,570.00 |
| State Audit | 489.65 |
| State Highway | 418.60 |
| County Tax | 5,006.71 |
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| | \$ 90,793.42 |
| Overlay, 1928 | 2,292.55 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 93,085.97 |

ESTIMATED CREDITS

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Income Tax | \$ 7,186.40 |
| Corporation Tax | 919.58 |
| Bank Tax | 134.37 |
| Licenses | 111.00 |
| Fines | 40.00 |
| Moth Receipts | 494.85 |
| Sealer account, Police, etc. | 116.86 |
| Charities, Refunds | 326.00 |
| Soldiers' Benefits | 206.96 |
| Schools | 5,819.94 |
| Libraries, Fines | 48.75 |
| Cemetery Lots sold | 80.00 |

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|--|--------|--------------|
| Interest on deposits | 196.95 | |
| Interest on Taxes, used as credit | 132.34 | |
| | | |
| Used for reduction of Levy | | \$ 16,000.00 |
| | | |
| | | \$ 77,085.97 |
| 466 Polls assessed @ \$2.00..... | | 932.00 |
| | | |
| Net Tax Levy | | \$ 76,153.97 |
| Moth Tax Special Assessment | | \$ 37.25 |
| | | |
| | | \$ 76,191.22 |
| Warrant to Tax Collector | | \$ 76,191.22 |
| Polls assessed, April 1, 466 @ \$2.00..... | | \$ 932.00 |
| Warrant to Collector | | \$ 932.00 |

DECEMBER ASSESSMENT

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Additional Polls, 15 @ \$2.00..... | \$ 30.00 |
| Tax on Personal Property..... | 638.00 |
| Tax on Real Estate | 76.56 |
| | |
| | \$ 744.56 |
| Warrant to Collector | \$ 744.56 |

ABATEMENTS, 1928

| | | |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Levy 1926 | | |
| Personal Tax | \$ 21.00 | |
| Real Estate | 6.00 | |
| | | \$ 27.00 |
| Levy 1927 | | |
| Personal Tax | \$ 143.14 | |
| Real Estate | 220.78 | |
| Moth Tax | 1.00 | |
| | | \$ 364.92 |
| Levy 1928 | | |
| Poll Taxes | \$ 12.00 | |

TABLE OF AGGREGATES, APRIL ASSESSMENT

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Number of residents assessed | 648 |
| Number of non-residents assessed | 257 |
| All others | 23 |
| Polls assessed | 466 |
| Value personal property | \$ 283,732.00 |
| Value buildings | \$2,047,900.00 |
| Value land | \$ 950,865.00 |
| Total value real estate | \$2,998,765.00 |

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|--|----------------|
| Total value real estate and personal property..... | \$3,282,497.00 |
| Rate per \$1,000, \$23.20. | |
| Total tax on personal | \$ 6,582.61 |
| Total tax on real estate | \$ 69,571.36 |
| Total on real and personal | \$ 76,153.97 |
| Total tax on polls, 466 @ \$2.00 | \$ 932.00 |
| Moth work assessed to real estate | \$ 37.25 |
| Number of horses assessed | 54 |
| Number of cows | 191 |
| Number of neat cattle | 21 |
| Number of swine | 16 |
| Number of fowl..... | 5,692 |
| Number of dwelling houses | 628 |
| Number of acres of land | 6,028 |

LYNNFIELD WATER DISTRICT

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Number of residents assessed | 273 |
| Number of non-residents assessed..... | 51 |
| Value of personal property | \$ 115,590.00 |
| Value of buildings | \$ 939,300.00 |
| Value of land | \$ 314,370.00 |
| Total value real estate | \$1,253,670.00 |
| Total real and personal | \$1,369,260.00 |
| Rate of levy, \$3.50 per \$1,000. | |
| Amount raised on personal property | \$ 404.82 |
| Amount raised on real estate | \$ 4,388.12 |
| Total amount raised | \$ 4,792.94 |
| Warrant to Tax Collector | \$ 4,792.94 |
| Amount required to make payments | \$ 4,708.75 |
| Balance 1928 Levy | \$ 84.19 |

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
George H. Bancroft, Clerk.

REPORT OF TREASURER

December 31, 1928.

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1928, as Treasurer and Custodian of Trust Funds.

TRUST FUNDS

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Cemetery Endowments with accrued interest .. | \$ 8,721.31 |
| Mary U. Nash Fund with accrued interest..... | 2,617.26 |
| George N. Blake Library Fund..... | 4,000.00 |
| Mary U. Nash Library Fund | 1,000.00 |
| George L. Hawkes Library Fund | 500.00 |
| Adelia J. Clough Library Fund..... | 300.00 |
| Liability Insurance Fund with accrued interest.. | 2,758.79 |
| Legion Memorial Fund with accrued interest.... | 829.74 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 20,727.10 |

EARNINGS AND DISTRIBUTION

GEORGE N. BLAKE LIBRARY FUND

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Amount of Fund December 31, 1927 | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Dividends for year 1928 | 210.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 4,210.00 |
| Dividends credited to Library | \$ 210.00 |
| Bond investment December 31, 1928..... | 4,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 4,210.00 |

MARY U. NASH LIBRARY FUND

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928..... | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Interest earned in 1928 | 50.00 |
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| | \$ 1,050.00 |
| Interest credited to Library | \$ 50.00 |
| On deposit Medford Savings Bank..... | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,050.00 |

GEORGE L. HAWKES LIBRARY FUND

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928 | \$ 500.00 |
| Interest earned in 1928..... | 22.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 522.50 |
| Interest credited to Library..... | \$ 22.50 |
| On deposit Suffolk Savings Bank..... | 500.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 522.50 |

ADELIA J. CLOUGH LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|---|----------|-----------|
| On deposit December 31, 1927 | | \$ 300.00 |
| Interest earned in 1928 | | 13.64 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 313.64 |
| Interest credited to Library..... | \$ 13.64 | |
| On deposit Wakefield Savings Bank | 300.00 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | | \$ 313.64 |

MARY U. NASH IMPROVEMENT FUND

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| On deposit December 31, 1927 | | \$ 2,821.46 |
| Interest Wildey Savings Bank..... | | 26.89 |
| Interest Wakefield Savings Bank | | 53.89 |
| Interest Mechanics Savings Bank..... | | 40.25 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 2,942.49 |
| Withdrawn on order of Selectmen..... | | 325.23 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 2,617.26 |
| On deposit Wakefield Savings Bank..... | \$ 1,238.65 | |
| On deposit Mechanics Savings Bank | 1,378.61 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | | \$ 2,617.26 |

LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| On deposit December 31, 1927..... | | \$ 2,638.76 |
| Interest Wakefield Savings Bank..... | | 71.03 |
| Interest Dorchester Savings Bank..... | | 49.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 2,758.79 |
| Wakefield Savings Bank, withdrawn..... | | 7.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 2,751.79 |
| On deposit Wakefield Savings Bank..... | \$ 1,625.78 | |
| On deposit Dorchester Savings Bank..... | 1,126.01 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | | \$ 2,751.79 |

LEGION MEMORIAL FUND

| | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| On deposit December 31, 1927 | | \$ 793.66 |
| Interest for 1928..... | | 36.08 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 829.74 |
| On deposit Dorchester Savings Bank..... | \$ 829.74 | |

CEMETERY ENDOWMENTS

Five lots were endowed during 1928.

May 14, 1928 received from George E. Lambert, Jr., of Lynnfield, one hundred dollars to endow lot in Forest Hill Cemetery. Income only to be used for perpetual care.

Deposited in Mechanics Savings Bank.

Interest began June 1, 1928.

June 15, 1928 received from Elbridge F. Gerry of Lynnfield, two hundred dollars to endow lot in Willow Cemetery. Income only to be used for perpetual care.

Deposited in Mechanics Savings Bank.

Interest began July 1, 1928.

June 15, 1928 received from Elbridge F. Gerry of Lynnfield, one hundred dollars to endow lot of Elbridge Gerry in Willow Cemetery. Interest only to be used for perpetual care.

Deposited in Mechanics Savings Bank.

Interest began July 1, 1928.

October 22, 1928 received from N. P. Brissette of Malden, one hundred dollars to endow lot of Thomas J. Casson on Forest Hill Cemetery. Income only to be used for perpetual care.

Deposited in Mechanics Savings Bank, October 24, 1928.

Interest began November 1, 1928.

December 6, 1928 received from Anne B. Lambert of Lynnfield, one hundred dollars to endow lot of Abel B. Davis, No. 222, in Forest Hill Cemetery. Income only to be used for perpetual care.

Deposited in Wakefield Savings Bank, December 6, 1928.

Interest began January 1, 1929.

Endowments with accrued interest December

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 31, 1927 | \$ 8,060.14 |
| Endowments received in 1928..... | 600.00 |
| Dividends in 1928 | 372.92 |

\$ 9,033.06

Withdrawn for care of endowed lots

311.75

\$ 8,721.31

Deposited as follows:

| | | |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| Willey Savings Bank..... | \$ | 1,191.90 |
| Wakefield Savings Bank | | 3,768.34 |
| Mechanics Savings Bank..... | | 3,461.07 |
| Liberty Bonds | | 300.00 |
| | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> | \$ 8,721.31 |

INCOME, EXPENSE AND BALANCE OF EACH FUND

| | On Deposit | Income | Expense | On Depos- |
|------------------------|------------|---------|---------|-----------|
| | 12-31 27 | 1928 | 1928 | 12-31-28 |
| Charles F. Abbott | \$ 107.82 | \$ 4.89 | \$ 4.00 | \$ 108.71 |
| Henry Bancroft | 334.31 | 15.19 | 7.00 | 342.50 |
| Joseph T. Bancroft | 101.74 | 4.61 | 4.00 | 102.35 |
| Warren Bancroft | 100.00 | 4.25 | 4.25 | 100.00 |
| Thomas D. Blake | 119.96 | 5.43 | 6.00 | 119.39 |
| Albert R. Bryant | 112.80 | 5.11 | 4.00 | 113.91 |
| Jonathan Bryant | 107.01 | 4.86 | 4.00 | 108.87 |
| John Bryant | 94.25 | 4.28 | 1.00 | 97.53 |
| Thomas J. Carson | | .38 | | 100.38 |
| Matthew Cox | 129.14 | 5.87 | 7.00 | 128.01 |
| Jeremiah Coney | 164.14 | 7.45 | 6.00 | 165.59 |
| Sarah J. Coney | 112.41 | 5.09 | 5.50 | 112.00 |
| Daniel P. Cook | 100.00 | 4.25 | 4.25 | 100.00 |
| George S. Danforth | 104.08 | 4.73 | 4.00 | 104.81 |
| John M. Danforth | 101.25 | 4.59 | 5.50 | 100.34 |
| Mary A. Danforth | 109.60 | 4.97 | 4.00 | 110.57 |
| Abel B. Davis | | | | 100.00 |
| Edward Downing | 105.11 | 4.82 | 5.50 | 104.43 |
| Oliver Downing | 104.96 | 4.73 | 4.00 | 105.69 |
| William C. Duncanson | 100.00 | 4.25 | 4.25 | 100.00 |
| Adelia C. Emerson | 79.43 | 3.60 | 3.00 | 80.03 |
| Emerson & Orne | 94.90 | 4.30 | 1.00 | 98.20 |
| Charles H. Getchell | 107.73 | 4.89 | 4.00 | 108.62 |
| Elbridge Gerry | | 1.88 | | 101.88 |
| Elbridge F. Gerry | | 3.75 | | 203.75 |
| Lucy E. Gowing | 55.57 | 2.50 | 1.00 | 57.07 |
| Esther W. M. Gilman | 241.23 | 10.96 | 5.00 | 247.19 |
| Endicott Hart | 55.57 | 2.50 | 1.00 | 57.07 |
| John E. Hastings | 112.71 | 5.11 | 4.00 | 113.82 |
| Mary B. Hawkes | 114.87 | 5.20 | 4.00 | 116.07 |
| George E. Herrick | 102.28 | 4.64 | 4.00 | 102.92 |
| Joseph Hobson | 107.71 | 4.89 | 4.00 | 108.60 |
| Joshua Hewes | 104.56 | 4.73 | 5.00 | 104.29 |
| Joseph Hart | 161.40 | 7.33 | 6.00 | 162.73 |
| Daniel Hood | 101.72 | 4.59 | 4.00 | 102.31 |
| Jacob Hood | 114.46 | 5.20 | 4.00 | 115.66 |
| John N. Hooper | 102.25 | 4.64 | 4.00 | 102.89 |
| George E. Lambert, Jr. | | 2.25 | | 102.25 |
| R. & M. Mansfield | 108.47 | 4.91 | 5.00 | 108.38 |
| George J. Mansfield | 106.17 | 4.82 | 5.00 | 105.99 |
| Viola E. McNeil | 102.28 | 4.64 | 4.00 | 102.92 |
| Joseph S. Moulton | 107.68 | 4.89 | | 112.57 |

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|-----------------------|------------|----------|----------|------------|
| A. Brigham Munroe | 104.06 | 4.73 | 5.50 | 103.29 |
| Daniel Needham | 123.00 | 5.58 | 6.00 | 122.58 |
| Helen D. Newcomb | 110.10 | 5.00 | 6.00 | 109.10 |
| James H. Newhall | 118.06 | 5.36 | 5.00 | 118.42 |
| Joseph C. Newhall | 95.66 | 4.32 | 3.00 | 96.98 |
| Warren Newhall | 108.13 | 4.91 | 5.50 | 107.54 |
| Wright Newhall | 111.57 | 5.07 | 4.00 | 112.64 |
| James Norwood | 102.57 | 4.64 | 4.00 | 103.21 |
| Thomas B. Parker | 103.49 | 4.68 | 3.00 | 105.17 |
| David F. Parsons | 110.96 | 5.02 | 5.50 | 110.48 |
| Israel Parsons | 112.46 | 5.09 | 4.00 | 113.55 |
| Ebenezer Parsons | 129.09 | 5.85 | 6.00 | 128.94 |
| Esther R. Perkins | 111.72 | 5.07 | 5.50 | 111.29 |
| John H. Perkins | 205.91 | 9.34 | 9.50 | 205.75 |
| M. C. Pope | 104.13 | 4.73 | 5.50 | 103.36 |
| Charlotte M. Ramsdell | 143.14 | 6.51 | 5.00 | 144.65 |
| Herbert Richardson | 89.80 | 4.05 | 2.00 | 91.85 |
| Moses Richardson | 120.79 | 5.47 | 6.00 | 120.26 |
| John W. Ross | 104.80 | 4.75 | 4.00 | 105.55 |
| Nathaniel Ross | 102.79 | 4.66 | 5.50 | 101.95 |
| Elbridge Russell | 234.50 | 10.65 | 11.00 | 234.15 |
| Lois Shute | 104.99 | 4.75 | 4.00 | 105.74 |
| George Skinner | 105.25 | 4.77 | 4.00 | 106.02 |
| Herbert A. Skinner | 109.59 | 4.97 | 4.00 | 110.56 |
| William Skinner | 154.05 | 7.00 | 7.00 | 154.05 |
| William Smith | 105.68 | 4.79 | 4.00 | 106.47 |
| Bowman Viles | 107.31 | 4.86 | 4.00 | 108.17 |
| Thomas B. Wellman | 209.94 | 9.52 | 8.00 | 211.46 |
| Amanda Wiley | 113.80 | 5.15 | 4.00 | 114.95 |
| Jacob Wiley | 106.46 | 4.82 | 5.00 | 106.28 |
| Mary E. Wiley | 106.77 | 4.84 | 4.00 | 107.61 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$8,060.14 | \$372.92 | \$311.75 | \$8,721.31 |

TREASURER'S RECEIPTS AND CASH BALANCE

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Cash balance January 1, 1929 | \$ 6,890.44 |
| Loans in anticipation of revenue..... | 60,000.00 |
| Loan for Main St., construction | 8,000.00 |
| Essex County Dog Tax refunded | 248.25 |
| Interest George N. Blake Library Fund..... | 210.00 |
| Interest Mary U. Nash Library Fund | 50.00 |
| Interest George L. Hawkes Library Fund | 22.50 |
| Interest Adelia J. Clough Library Fund..... | 13.64 |
| Fines collected Main Library | 22.90 |
| Fines collected Branch Library..... | 38.90 |

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| Books sold by Library | .60 |
| Int. from Cemetery Endowments withdrawn..... | 311.75 |
| Cemetery lots, sold..... | 165.00 |
| Rent Town Hall | 284.00 |
| Rent South Hall | 95.00 |
| Fees collected by sealer | 32.82 |
| Collected by Moth Department | 385.95 |
| Refund School Department | 128.68 |
| Refunds various | 357.24 |
| Telephone calls | .40 |
| Building permits | 72.00 |
| Court fines | 268.50 |
| Highway Department | 160.73 |
| Compensation fund withdrawn | 6.00 |
| Junk licenses | 15.00 |
| Licenses milk | 18.50 |
| Licenses and permits | 115.00 |
| School Dept., sale of pump | 35.00 |
| Nash Improvement fund stage curtain..... | 325.23 |
| L. C. C. League stage curtain..... | 84.77 |
| Fireman's association stage curtain..... | 25.00 |
| Fire Dept., sale of tires..... | 5.00 |
| School Retirement Fund..... | 674.50 |
| City of Lynn, Mothers' Aid..... | 416.00 |
| Essex County for Main St..... | 4,196.17 |
| Commonwealth for Main St..... | 4,196.16 |
| Commonwealth Mothers' Aid | 156.00 |
| Commonwealth Moth Tax | 12.75 |
| Commonwealth State Licenses..... | 18.00 |
| Commonwealth State Aid | 168.00 |
| Commonwealth Veteran Exemption | 67.42 |
| Commonwealth Tuition | 326.88 |
| Commonwealth Vocation School | 142.12 |
| Commonwealth Account Supt. School Salary..... | 290.02 |
| Commonwealth Transportation H. School..... | 3,995.13 |
| Commonwealth Corporation Tax Business 1927..... | 54.03 |
| Commonwealth Corporation Tax P. S. 1925-6-7 | 49.19 |
| Commonwealth Corporation Tax 1928..... | 582.77 |
| Commonwealth Corporation Tax Public Service in 1928.... | 614.69 |
| Commonwealth Income Tax 1927..... | 360.00 |
| Commonwealth Income tax 1928..... | 8,770.00 |
| Commonwealth National Bank Tax..... | 180.07 |
| Commonwealth Trust Co. Tax..... | 72.29 |
| Wakefield Trust Co., interest Treasurer daily balance..... | 91.01 |
| Wakefield Trust Co., interest collector daily balance..... | 115.03 |

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Collector of Taxes tax titles..... | 5.00 |
| Collector of Taxes, Taxes 1922-23-24 | 18.46 |
| Collector of Taxes, Taxes of 1926..... | 112.47 |
| Collector of Taxes, Poll tax 1927..... | |
| Collector of Taxes, Tax of 1927..... | 18,835.35 |
| Collector of Taxes, Moth tax 1927..... | 37.50 |
| Collector of Taxes, Dec. assessment 1927..... | 443.20 |
| Collector of Taxes, Tax of 1928..... | 57,008.25 |
| Collector of Taxes, Moth tax 1928..... | 25.50 |
| Collector of Taxes, Dec. assessment 1928..... | 698.80 |
| Collector of Taxes, 1928 Poll tax | 944.00 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest 1926 tax..... | 2.98 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest 1927 tax | 580.53 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest 1928 tax..... | 21.56 |

\$182,667.13

Treasury Warrants Paid \$171,059.97

On deposit Wakefield Trust Co..... 11,607.16

\$182,667.13

The borrowing capacity of the Town on temporary notes in anticipation of revenue of 1928 was \$94,877.01, as determined by the State Director of Accounts.

The Town borrowed in anticipation of revenue, \$60,000.00.

List of Loans with interest and date of payment follows:

April 2 \$10,000.00 @ 3.75% discount paid November 1.

May 21 \$20,000.00 @ 4 % discount paid October 21.

June 22 \$10,000.00 @ 4.50% discount paid December 15.

Sept. 4 \$10,000.00 @ 4.50% discount paid December 20.

Dec. 26 \$10,000.00 @ 4.50% discount paid December-June 26, 1929.

On October 13th the Town borrowed for Highway construction, \$8,000.00, interest rate 4.25%. Payable \$2,000.00 yearly, 1929-1932 inclusive.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANKLIN W. FREEMAN, Treasurer.

STATE AUDIT

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Corporations and Taxation, Division of Accounts

State House, Boston, June 13, 1928.

To the Board of Selectmen,

Mr. Frank C. Newhall, Chairman,

Lynnfield, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the accounts of the town of Lynnfield for the period from January 1, 1927 to March 17, 1928, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. This report is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Edward H. Fenton, Chief Accountant of this Division.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

TNW/AMH

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell,

Director of Accounts,

Department of Corporations and Taxation,

State House, Boston.

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Lynnfield for the period from January 1, 1927 to March 17, 1928, and submit the following report thereon:

The financial transactions of the town as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town were examined and reconciled with the town accountant's books.

The books and accounts of the collector and treasurer, as treasurer, were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were checked with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town and with the other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury; and the records of payments were checked by a comparison of the approved treasury warrants with the cancelled checks drawn by the treasurer for the payment of the warrants authorizing him to disburse town funds. The cash books were footed throughout for the period covered by the audit, errors in payments during 1926 and 1927 were adjusted, and the corrected cash balance March 17, 1928, was reconciled with a statement furnished by the bank of deposit.

As may be seen from the appended table showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash on March 17, 1928, the corrected cash balance as of that date was \$1,539.34, while the balance according to the accountant's ledger amounted to \$3,047.83. In order to reconcile this variation, the treasurer's cash account, as shown on the accountant's ledger, should be credited on March 17, 1928, with a payment of \$2,085.00 for debt and interest in anticipation of a treasury warrant, while the same account

should be charged with underpayments in 1926 and in 1927 amounting to \$12.23 and \$39.28, respectively, as well as with \$525.00 representing warrants drawn and unpaid.

The treasurer's cash on March 17, 1928, was found to be \$455.57 in excess of the corrected cash balance, in which connection it is recommended that the treasurer make a determined effort to reconcile his cash book balance with the bank balance at least monthly, keeping personal funds separate from town cash. Receipts should be entered on the cash book promptly, and deposits in the bank should represent accurately the aggregate receipts for a given period.

The accounts of the treasurer and collector, as tax collector, were examined and checked. The commitments of taxes for the levies of 1922 and 1927, inclusive, were analyzed and compared with the assessors' warrants, the abatements were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted, the collections were checked with the collector's payments to the treasurer, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved with the accountant's ledger.

Verification notices were sent to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

After the necessary adjustments of errors and omissions in the collector's accounts were made, the collector's cash was found to be \$120.71 over, due probably to some collection not posted to the commitment book.

The books and accounts of the town accountant were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were checked with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town and with the treasurer's cash book, and the expenditures were checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing payments by the treasurer.

In checking the payments it was noted that a large number of the warrants were signed by only one selectman, and that many bills of previous years were paid from the current year's appropriations. Greater care should be exercised in the preparation of the treasury warrants, with a view to eliminating duplicate or erroneous payments. The practice of paying old bills from current appropriations should be discontinued and specific appropriations should be voted by the town before such bills may be paid by the treasurer.

The appropriation accounts were examined and checked with the town clerk's record of appropriations voted by the town, the ledger accounts were analyzed and adjusted, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on March 17, 1928.

The several trust funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined, the income and disbursements being verified.

In addition to the departments and accounts mentioned above, the

accounts of all other departments collecting money for the town were examined and checked.

Appended to this report are tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax and departmental accounts, together with tables showing the trust fund transactions.

For the courtesy extended by the several town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. FENTON,

Chief Accountant.

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RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH

Balance January 1, 1926, per cash book \$ 5,622.62

Receipts 1926, per cash book 112,447.45

Errors in payments:

| Warrant No. | Amount | Check No. | Amount Paid | |
|-------------|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|--------|
| 14 | \$48.00 | 13,763 | \$44.00 | \$4.00 |
| 17 | 46.75 | 13,818 | 46.25 | .50 |
| 21 | 16.50 | 13,913 | 16.00 | .50 |
| 33 | 125.63 | 14,245 | 123.50 | 2.13 |
| 44 | 5.00 | 14,523 | 4.90 | .10 |
| 28 | 5.00 duplicated on warrant | | 5.00 | |

12.23

\$118,082.30

Warrants drawn 1926

\$117,514.95

Corrected balance December 31, 1926

567.35

\$118,082.30

Corrected balance January 1, 1927

\$ 567.35

Receipts 1927, per cash book

158,666.68

Errors in payments:

| Warrant No. | Amount | Check No. | Amount Paid | |
|-------------|----------|-----------|-------------|--------|
| 22 | \$ 85.50 | 15,218 | \$ 85.00 | \$.50 |
| 27 | 165.95 | 15,257 | 165.90 | .05 |
| 38 | 67.32 | 15,663 | 53.22 | 14.10 |
| 57 | 97.50 | 16,087 | 84.50 | 13.00 |
| 58 | 57.25 | 16,117 | 55.25 | 2.00 |
| 49 | 47.15 | 15,916 | 43.50 | 3.65 |
| 14 | .10 | — | none | .10 |
| 22 | .10 | — | none | .10 |
| 28 | .13 | — | none | .13 |
| 38 | 5.65 | — | none | 5.65 |

39.28

\$159,273.31

| | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Warrants drawn 1927 | \$152,331.36 | |
| Corrected balance December 31, 1927 | 6,941.95 | |
| | <hr/> | \$159,273.31 |
| Corrected balance January 1, 1928 | \$ 6,941.95 | |
| Receipts January 1 to March 17, 1928 | 6,342.13 | |
| Unpaid warrants March 17, 1928 | 525.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$13,809.08 |
| Warrants drawn January 1 to March 17, 1928 | \$10,184.74 | |
| Payments January 1 to March 17, 1928 | | |
| in advance of warrants | 2,085.00 | |
| Corrected balance March 17, 1928 | 1,539.34 | |
| | <hr/> | \$13,809.08 |

WAKEFIELD TRUST COMPANY

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Corrected balance March 17, 1928 | \$ 1,539.34 | |
| Outstanding checks March 17, 1928, per list | 3,546.21 | |
| Cash over March 17, 1928 | 455.57 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 5,541.12 |
| Balance March 17, 1928, per statement | \$ 5,427.55 | |
| Due from collector's cash, on account of refund | | |
| of duplicate payment from treasurer's cash | 113.57 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 5,541.12 |

TAXES—1922

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$63,371.77 | |
| Additional commitment | 213.88 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | 1.03 | |
| | <hr/> | \$63,586.68 |

Payments to treasurer, per town reports:

| | | |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| 1922 | \$45,030.68 | |
| 1923 | 13,387.70 | |
| 1924 | 4,307.28 | |
| | <hr/> | \$62,725.66 |

Abatements, per town reports:

| | | |
|------|-----------|--------|
| 1922 | \$ 361.03 | |
| 1923 | 493.96 | |
| | <hr/> | 859.99 |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------------|
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | 1.03 | |
| | <hr/> | \$63,586.68 |

TAXES—1923

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$56,293.79 | |
| Additional commitment | 38.88 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | 16.04 | |
| | <hr/> | \$56,348.71 |

Payments to treasurer, per town reports:

| | | |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| 1923 | \$40,896.95 | |
| 1924 | 14,553.03 | |
| 1925 | 50.87 | |
| | <hr/> | \$55,500.85 |

Abatements:

| | | |
|------|-----------|--------|
| 1923 | \$ 333.23 | |
| 1924 | 498.59 | |
| | <hr/> | 831.82 |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------------|
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | 16.04 | |
| | <hr/> | \$56,348.71 |

TAXES—1924

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$55,197.03 | |
| Additional commitments | 450.09 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | 1.39 | |
| | <hr/> | \$55,648.51 |

Payments to treasurer, per town reports:

| | | |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| 1924 | \$41,094.07 | |
| 1925 | 14,176.05 | |
| | <hr/> | \$55,270.12 |

Abatements:

| | | |
|------|-----------|--------|
| 1924 | \$ 165.29 | |
| 1925 | 211.71 | |
| | <hr/> | 377.00 |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------------|
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | 1.39 | |
| | <hr/> | \$55,648.51 |

TAXES—1925

| | | |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$58,616.60 | |
| Additional commitment | 102.19 | |
| | <hr/> | \$58,718.79 |

Payments to treasurer:

| | | |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| 1925 | \$47,714.80 | |
| 1926 | 10,573.38 | |
| | <hr/> | \$58,288.18 |

Abatements:

| | | |
|------|-----------|--------|
| 1925 | \$ 262.89 | |
| 1926 | 167.72 | |
| | <hr/> | 430.61 |

| | | |
|--|-------|-------------|
| | <hr/> | \$58,718.79 |
|--|-------|-------------|

TAXES—1926

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$61,279.63 | |
| Additional commitment | 96.20 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | .31 | |
| | <hr/> | \$61,376.14 |

| | | |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Payments to treasurer | \$49,595.57 | |
| Abatements | 236.10 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1926 | 11,544.47 | |
| | <hr/> | \$61,376.14 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1927 | \$11,544.47 | |
| Overpayment not refunded | .50 | |
| Interest credited as taxes | 3.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$11,547.97 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$11,005.31 | |
| Abatements | 402.69 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1927 and March 17, 1928 | 42.00 | |
| Due from collector December 31, 1927 and March 17, 1928 | 97.97 | |
| | <hr/> | \$11,547.97 |

TAXES—1927

| | | |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$86,327.38 | |
| Additional commitment | 513.68 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | .04 | |
| Moth 1927 credited as taxes | .25 | |
| Overentry on cash book | 360.10 | |
| Overpayments to treasurer | 3.73 | |
| Overpayment not refunded | .10 | |
| | <hr/> | \$87,205.28 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$66,612.20 | |
| Abatements | 170.17 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1927 | 20,422.91 | |
| | <hr/> | \$87,205.28 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | | \$20,422.91 |
| Payments to treasurer January 1 to March 17, 1928 | \$ 5,065.17 | |
| Abatements not reported to accountant | 60.94 | |
| Taxes credited as interest | .55 | |
| Collections not entered on cash book | 60.94 | |
| Outstanding March 17, 1928, per list | 13,420.27 | |
| Cash on hand March 17, 1928 | 1,815.04 | |
| | <hr/> | \$20,422.91 |

MOTH ASSESSMENTS—1924

| | | |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Commitment per warrant | | \$ 518.75 |
| Payments to treasurer: | | |
| 1924 | \$ 220.75 | |
| 1925 | 256.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 476.75 |
| Abatements: | | |
| 1925 | 42.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 518.75 |

MOTH ASSESSMENTS—1925

| | | |
|------------------------|----------|----------|
| Commitment per warrant | | \$ 90.00 |
| Payments to treasurer: | | |
| 1925 | \$ 62.25 | |
| 1926 | 27.75 | |
| | | \$ 90.00 |

MOTH ASSESSMENTS—1926

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Commitment per warrant | | \$ 20.50 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ 18.00 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1926 | 2.50 | |
| | | \$ 20.50 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1927 | | \$ 2.50 |
| Payments to treasurer 1927 | | \$ 2.50 |

MOTH ASSESSMENTS—1927

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$ 100.00 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | 3.00 | |
| Overpayments to treasurer | 3.00 | |
| | | \$ 106.00 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ 65.25 | |
| Moth 1927 credited as taxes 1927 | .25 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1927 | 40.50 | |
| | | \$ 106.00 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | | \$ 40.50 |
| Payments to treasurer January 1 to March 17, 1928 | \$ 15.00 | |
| Outstanding March 17, 1928, per list | 24.50 | |
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | 1.00 | |
| | | \$ 40.50 |

RECONCILIATION OF TOWN COLLECTOR'S CASH

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Balance due March 17, 1927: | | |
| Taxes 1922 | \$ 1.03 | |
| Taxes 1923 | 16.04 | |
| Taxes 1924 | 1.39 | |
| Taxes 1926 | 97.97 | |
| Taxes 1927 | 1,512.15 | |
| Moth 1927 | 1.00 | |
| Interest on taxes | 33.61 | |
| Collector's fees | 11.60 | |
| Interest on bank balance | 40.00 | |
| Due treasurer's account | 113.57 | |
| Due water district cash | 19.51 | |
| | | \$ 1,847.87 |
| Cash over March 17, 1928 | | 120.71 |
| | | \$ 1,968.58 |

| | | | |
|--|----|----------|-------------|
| Overpayments to treasurer, moth 1927 | \$ | 3.00 | |
| Balance per statement Wakefield Trust Company, March 17, 1928 | | 1,898.99 | |
| Cash in office March 17, 1928 | | 66.59 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 1,968.58 |

RECONCILIATION OF WATER DISTRICT COLLECTOR'S CASH

| | | | |
|---|----|--------|-----------|
| Balance due March 17, 1928: | | | |
| Taxes 1926 | \$ | 12.19 | |
| Taxes 1927 | | 427.39 | |
| Interest on taxes, 1926 | | .58 | |
| Collector's fees | | 9.60 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 449.76 |
| Balance Wakefield Trust Company, March 17, 1928, per statement | \$ | 424.47 | |
| Cash in office March 17, 1928 | | 5.78 | |
| Due from town collector's cash account, March 17, 1928 | | 19.51 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 449.76 |

INTEREST COLLECTIONS

| | | | |
|--|----|--------|-----------|
| Interest collections 1926: | | | |
| Taxes 1926 | | | \$ 33.37 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ | 33.27 | |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1926 | | .10 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 33.37 |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1927 | \$ | .10 | |
| Interest collections 1927: | | | |
| Taxes 1926 | \$ | 68.69 | |
| Taxes 1927 | | 383.34 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 452.03 |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 452.13 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ | 449.60 | |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1927 | | 2.53 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 452.13 |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1928 | \$ | 2.53 | |
| Interest collections January 1 to March 17, 1928: | | | |
| Taxes 1927 | | 102.15 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 104.68 |
| Payments to treasurer January 1 to March 17, 1928 | \$ | 71.07 | |
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | | 33.61 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 104.68 |

WATER DISTRICT TAXES—1926

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | \$ | 3,221.47 | |
| Commitment list in excess of warrant | | 7.56 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 3,229.03 |

Payments to treasurer of water district:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1926 | \$ 2,950.00 | |
| 1927 | 250.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 3,200.00 |
| Abatements 1926 | | 16.84 |
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | | 12.19 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 3,229.03 |

WATER DISTRICT TAXES—1927

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Commitment per warrant | | \$ 3,355.48 |
| Payments to treasurer of water district | \$ 2,700.00 | |
| Abatements | 11.76 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1927 | 643.72 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 3,355.48 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | | \$ 643.72 |
| Outstanding March 17, 1928, per list | \$ 216.33 | |
| Due from collector March 17, 1928 | 427.39 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 643.72 |

SELECTMEN'S LICENSES

Licenses granted 1927:

| | | |
|--|--------------|-----------|
| Common victuallers' | 19 @ \$ 1.00 | \$ 19.00 |
| Sunday | 24 @ 1.00 | 24.00 |
| Innholder's | 1 @ 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Lodging-house | 3 @ 1.00 | 3.00 |
| Junk | 3 @ 15.00 | 45.00 |
| Jitney | 1 @ 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Gun | 12 @ 1.00 | 12.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 113.00 |
| Payments to treasurer | | \$ 104.00 |
| Licenses cancelled | | 9.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 113.00 |
| Licenses issued January 1 to March 17, 1928: | | |
| Gun | 2 @ \$ 1.00 | \$ 2.00 |
| Payments to treasurer January 1 to March 17, 1928 | | \$ 2.00 |

DOG LICENSES

Licenses issued 1927:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Males | 118 @ \$ 2.00 | \$ 236.00 |
| Females | 31 @ 5.00 | 155.00 |
| Kennels | 1 @ 25.00 | 25.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 416.00 |
| Payments to county treasurer | | \$ 384.20 |
| Fees retained by town clerk | 149 @ .20 | 29.80 |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1927 | | 2.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 416.00 |

| | | | |
|--|--------------|-------|----------|
| Cash on hand January 1, 1928 | \$ | 2.00 | |
| Issued January 1 to | | | |
| March 31, 1928: | | | |
| Males | 16 @ \$ 2.00 | 32.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 34.00 |
| Cash on hand March 31, 1928 (verified) | | | \$ 34.00 |

SPORTING LICENSES

| | | | |
|--|-------------|-------|-----------|
| Sporting licenses issued 1927 | | | \$ 106.50 |
| Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game | \$ | 96.00 | |
| Fees retained by | | | |
| town clerk | 42 @ \$.25 | 10.50 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 106.50 |
| Sporting licenses issued January 1 to | | | |
| March 31, 1928 | | | \$ 28.75 |
| Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game | \$ | 27.00 | |
| Fees retained by | | | |
| town clerk | 7 @ \$.25 | 1.75 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 28.75 |

MOTH DEPARTMENT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Charges 1927 | | | \$ 527.85 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ | 519.85 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1927 and | | | |
| March 17, 1928 | | 8.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 527.85 |

BUILDING INSPECTOR

| | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|----------|
| Permits issued 1927 | 87 @ \$ 1.00 | | \$ 87.00 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ | 83.00 | |
| Outstanding December 31, 1927 | | 4.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 87.00 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | | \$ 4.00 | |
| Permits issued January 1 | | | |
| to April 6, 1928 | 6 @ \$ 1.00 | 6.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 10.00 |
| Outstanding April 6, 1928, per list | \$ | 4.00 | |
| Due from building inspector April 6, 1928 | | 6.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 10.00 |

BOARD OF HEALTH LICENSES

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------|---------|
| Licenses issued 1927: | | | |
| Milk | 17 @ \$.50 | \$ | 8.50 |
| Oleomargarine | 2 @ .50 | | 1.00 |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 9.50 |
| Payments to treasurer | \$ | 1.00 | |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1927 | | 8.50 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 9.50 |

| | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-----|---------|----|-------|-------|----------|
| Cash on hand January 1, 1928 | | | | \$ | 8.50 | |
| Licenses issued January 1 to | | | | | | |
| March 17, 1928: | | | | | | |
| Pasteurized milk | 1 @ | \$10.00 | \$ | 10.00 | | |
| Milk | 1 @ | .50 | | .50 | | |
| | | | | <hr/> | \$ | 10.50 |
| | | | | | <hr/> | \$ 19.00 |
| Payments to treasurer January 1 to | | | | | | |
| March 17, 1928 | | | | \$ | 18.50 | |
| Cash on hand March 17, 1928 | | | | | .50 | |
| | | | | <hr/> | \$ | 19.00 |

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

| | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|-------|-------|----------|
| Collections 1927: | | | | | | |
| Main Library | | | | \$ | 20.70 | |
| South Lynnfield branch | | | | | 38.05 | |
| | | | | | <hr/> | \$ 58.75 |
| Payments to treasurer | | | | | | \$ 58.75 |
| Collections January 1 to April 21, 1928: | | | | | | |
| Main library | | | | \$ | 5.84 | |
| South Lynnfield branch | | | | | 7.10 | |
| | | | | | <hr/> | \$ 12.94 |
| Payments by librarian, per voucher | | | | \$ | .81 | |
| Cash on hand April 2, 1928 | | | | | 12.13 | |
| | | | | <hr/> | \$ | 12.94 |

MARY U. NASH LIBRARY FUND

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------|
| | | Savings Bank | |
| | | Deposits | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | \$1,000.00 | | \$1,000.00 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | \$1,000.00 | | \$1,000.00 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | \$1,000.00 | | \$1,000.00 |
| | | Receipts | Payments |
| | 1927 | | |
| Income | \$50.00 | Transferred to town | \$50.00 |

GEORGE L. HAWKES LIBRARY FUND

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|
| | | Savings Bank | |
| | | Deposits | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | \$ 500.00 | | \$ 500.00 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | \$ 500.00 | | \$ 500.00 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | \$ 500.00 | | \$ 500.00 |
| | | Receipts | Payments |
| | 1927 | | |
| Income | \$22.50 | Transferred to town | \$22.50 |

ADELIA J. CLOUGH LIBRARY FUND

| | | Savings Bank | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|---------------------------|-----------|
| | | Deposits | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | | \$ 300.00 | \$ 300.00 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | | \$ 300.00 | \$ 300.00 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | | \$ 306.75 | \$ 306.75 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |
| 1927 | | | |
| Income | \$13.64 | Transferred to town | \$13.64 |
| January 1 to March 17, 1928 | | | |
| Income | \$6.75 | Deposited in savings bank | \$6.75 |

GEORGE N. BLAKE LIBRARY FUND

| | | Par Value of | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| | | Securities | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | | \$4,000.00 | \$4,000.00 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | | \$4,000.00 | \$4,000.00 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | | \$4,000.00 | \$4,000.00 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |
| 1927 | | | |
| Sale of securities | \$2,000.00 | Purchase of securities | \$2,000.00 |
| Income | 230.00 | Transferred to town | 230.00 |
| Total | <u>\$2,230.00</u> | Total | <u>\$2,230.00</u> |

MARY U. NASH IMPROVEMENT FUND

| | Savings | Bank | Deposits |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| | Principal | Income | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | \$2,000.00 | \$698.72 | \$2,698.72 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | \$2,000.00 | \$821.46 | \$2,821.46 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | \$2,000.00 | \$848.10 | \$2,848.10 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |
| | 1927 | | |
| Income | \$122.74 | Deposited in savings bank | \$122.74 |
| | January 1 to March 17, 1928 | | |
| Income | \$26.64 | Deposited in savings bank | \$26.64 |

LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND

| Savings Bank | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|------------|------------|
| | | Deposits | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | | \$2,537.32 | \$2,537.32 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | | \$2,638.76 | \$2,638.76 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | | \$2,673.88 | \$2,673.88 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |

| 1927 | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------|---------------------------|----------|
| Withdrawn from savings | | Deposited in savings | |
| bank | \$14.00 | bank | \$115.44 |
| Income | 115.44 | Transferred to town | 14.00 |
| <hr/> | | <hr/> | |
| Total | \$129.44 | Total | \$129.44 |
| January 1 to March 17, 1928 | | | |
| Income | \$35.12 | Deposited in savings bank | \$35.12 |

LEGION MEMORIAL FUND

| | Savings Bank Deposits | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| | Principal | Income | Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | \$ 734.19 | \$ 24.94 | \$ 759.13 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | \$ 734.19 | \$ 59.47 | \$ 793.66 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | \$ 734.19 | \$ 59.47 | \$ 793.66 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |
| 1927 | | | |
| Income | \$34.53 | Deposited in savings bank | \$34.53 |

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

| | Par Value of Savings Bank Deposits | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Securities | Principal | Income Total |
| On hand at beginning of year 1927 | \$300.00 | \$6,739.00 | \$ 876.31 \$7,915.31 |
| On hand at end of year 1927 | \$300.00 | \$6,839.00 | \$ 921.14 \$8,060.14 |
| On hand March 17, 1928 | \$300.00 | \$6,839.00 | \$1,002.91 \$8,141.91 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |
| 1927 | | | |
| Withdrawn from savings | | Deposited in savings | |
| bank | \$302.75 | bank | \$447.58 |
| Income | 360.33 | Transferred to town | 315.50 |
| Bequests | 100.00 | | |
| <hr/> | | <hr/> | |
| Total | \$763.08 | Total | \$763.08 |
| January 1 to March 17, 1928 | | | |
| Income | \$81.77 | Deposited in savings bank | \$81.77 |

TOWN OF LYNNFIELD

Balance Sheet—March 17, 1928

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

| Assets | | Liabilities | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Cash | | Temporary Loans: | |
| Accounts Receivable: | | In Anticipation of Revenue | |
| Taxes: | | Trust Fund Income | |
| Levy of 1922 | \$ 1.03 | Unexpended Appropriation Balances: | |
| Levy of 1923 | 16.04 | General | \$73,091.53 |
| Levy of 1924 | 1.39 | Essex County Sanatorium Fund | 1,773.94 |
| Levy of 1926 | 139.47 | Curtains for Town Hall | 109.77 |
| Levy of 1927 | 14,993.26 | Main Street | 10,000.00 |
| | | | 84,975.24 |
| Moth Assessments: | | Overlays—reserved for abatement | |
| Levy of 1927 | | of taxes: | |
| State Aid | 22.50 | Levy of 1926 | \$ 42.00 |
| Tax Titles | 168.00 | Levy of 1927 | 2,292.27 |
| Loans Authorized | 587.72 | | |
| Revenue 1928 | 8,000.00 | Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus | 2,334.27 |
| Less Estimated Revenue Collected | \$80,644.18 | Tax Title Revenue | 5,865.14 |
| | 720.10 | Special Assessment Revenue | 587.72 |
| | | Surplus Revenue | 22.50 |
| | | | 3,115.95 |
| | | | |
| | | | \$106,901.32 |

| | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Net Funded or Fixed Debt | DEBT ACCOUNTS | |
| | Town Hall Loan | \$18,000.00 |
| | Essex County Sanatorium Loan | 2,000.00 |
| | Center School Loan | 7,000.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$27,000.00 |
| Trust Funds, Cash and Securities | TRUST ACCOUNTS | |
| | Mary U. Nash Library Fund | \$ 1,000.00 |
| | George L. Hawkes Library Fund | 500.00 |
| | Adelia J. Clough Library Fund | 306.75 |
| | George N. Blake Library Fund | 4,000.00 |
| | Mary U. Nash Improvement Fund | 2,848.10 |
| | Liability Insurance Fund | 2,673.88 |
| | Legion Memorial Fund | 793.66 |
| | Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds | 8,141.91 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$20,264.30 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$20,264.30 |

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Showing Receipts and Expenditures of the Town

For the Year Ending December 31, 1928

also

Report of Trust Funds

Taxes Outstanding

Cash in Hand, Etc.

RECEIPTS FOR 1928

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Cash on hand | \$ 6,890.44 |
| From F. W. Freeman, Collector of Taxes: | |
| Property Tax 1927..... | 18,835.35 |
| Moth Tax 1927 | 37.50 |
| Dec. Assessment 1927 | 443.20 |
| Taxes 1922, 1923, 1924 | 18.46 |
| Taxes 1926 | 112.47 |
| Taxes 1928, Property | 57,008.25 |
| Moth Tax 1928 | 25.50 |
| Dec. Assessment 1928..... | 698.00 |
| Poll Taxes 1928..... | 944.00 |
| Interest on 1926 Tax | 2.98 |
| Interest on 1927 Tax | 580.53 |
| Interest on 1928 Tax | 21.56 |
| Tax Titles | 5.00 |
| From Commonwealth of Massachusetts: | |
| Rebuilding Main Street | 4,196.16 |
| Mothers' Aid | 156.00 |
| Moth Tax | 12.75 |
| State Licenses | 18.00 |
| State Aid | 168.00 |
| Veterans' Exemption | 67.42 |
| National Bank Tax..... | 180.07 |
| Trust Co. Tax | 72.29 |
| Income Tax 1927 | 360.00 |
| Income Tax 1928 | 8,770.00 |
| Corporation Tax Business 1927..... | 54.03 |
| Corporation Tax Business 1928 | 582.77 |
| Corporation Tax Business Public Service '25, '26, '27.... | 49.19 |
| Corporation Tax Public Service 1928..... | 614.69 |
| Tuition, School Account..... | 326.88 |
| Vocation, School Account | 142.12 |
| Superintendent's Salary | 290.02 |
| Transportation, High School..... | 3,995.13 |
| From County of Essex: | |
| Main Street Rebuilding | 4,197.16 |
| Dog Tax Refunded | 248.25 |
| From Departments: | |
| Rent of Town Hall | 284.00 |
| Rent of Hall, Prec. 2 | 95.00 |
| Sealer's Fees | 32.82 |
| Building Permits | 72.00 |
| Court Fines | 268.50 |
| Telephone Calls | .40 |

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Library Fines, Main Library..... | 22.90 |
| Library Fines, Branch Library..... | 38.90 |
| Library, Book Sold | .60 |
| Moth Dept., Collections | 385.95 |
| Cemetery Lots Sold | 165.00 |
| Highway Department Refunds | 160.73 |
| Licenses and Permits | 148.50 |
| Compensation Fund | 7.00 |
| Wakefield Trust Co., Interest on Treasurer's Balance.... | 91.01 |
| Trust Funds, Income: | |
| Cemetery Endowments Interest | 311.75 |
| Nash Improvement Fund, Interest | 325.28 |
| George N. Blake Library Fund Interest..... | 210.00 |
| Mary U. Nash Library Fund Interest..... | 50.00 |
| George L. Hawkes Library Fund Interest..... | 22.50 |
| Adelia J. Clough | 13.64 |
| Loans: | |
| Loans in Anticipation of Revenue..... | 60,000.00 |
| Loans for Main Street Construction | 8,000.00 |
| Other Receipts: | |
| School Dept. Sale of Motor Pump..... | 35.00 |
| School Refunds | 128.68 |
| Teachers' Retirement Fund | 674.50 |
| Fire Dept., Sale of Tires | 5.00 |
| City of Lynn, Mothers' Aid | 416.00 |
| Other Departments Refunds | 357.24 |
| Total Receipts | \$182,667.13 |

APPROPRIATIONS FOR TAX LEVY

Annual Town Meeting, March 5, 1928:

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| General Government | \$ 6,800.00 |
| Police Dept. | 2,400.00 |
| Sealer Weights and Measures | 150.00 |
| Inspection of Animals | 50.00 |
| Health and Sanitation | 50.00 |
| Fire Department | 3,000.00 |
| Hydrant Rental | 1,050.00 |
| Fire Alarm | 500.00 |
| Tree Warden | 500.00 |
| Moth Department | 1,162.73 |
| Highway Department | 12,000.00 |
| Clearing Brush from Highways | 600.00 |
| Charities | 2,000.00 |
| State Aid | 168.00 |
| School Department | 35,300.00 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Painting South School..... | 400.00 |
| Library | 700.00 |
| Park Department | 200.00 |
| Reserve Fund | 1,500.00 |
| Memorial Day | 175.00 |
| Hospital Maintenance | 560.73 |
| Street Lights | 3,567.00 |
| Town Survey | 500.00 |
| Town Hall Seats | 375.00 |
| Town Planning and Zoning | 700.00 |
| Cemeteries | 700.00 |
| Interest | 2,500.00 |
| Maturing Debt | 3,000.00 |

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Total for Town Purposes | \$ 80,608.46 |
| Special Town Meeting, Apr. 9, 1928 | 700.00 |

\$ 81,308.46

Amount due on Sanitarium, \$2,000, drawn from special fund, leaving a balance of \$1,773.93 in fund.

On rebuilding Main Street, \$2,000 was voted from Excess and Deficiency account and \$8,000 was bonded, making total appropriation of \$10,000.

State and County and Overlay:

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| State Tax | \$ 3,770.00 |
| State Audit | 489.65 |
| State Highway Account | 418.60 |
| County Tax | 5,006.71 |
| Overlay 1928 | 2,292.55 |

\$ 93,085.97

TAXES OF 1922, 1923, 1924

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ 1,846.00 |
| Payments 1928 to Collector | \$ 1,846.00 |
| | \$ 1,846.00 \$ 1,846.00 |

PROPERTY TAX 1926

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1928 | \$ 136.16 |
| Correction by Audit | 3.31 |
| Payments 1928 to Collector | 112.47 |
| Abatements | 27.00 |
| | \$ 139.47 \$ 139.47 |

MOTH TAX 1926

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|------|----|------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ | 2.50 | | |
| Payment 1928 to Collector | | | \$ | 2.50 |
| | | | | |
| | \$ | 2.50 | \$ | 2.50 |

POLL TAX 1927

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|------|--|--|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ | 2.00 | | |
| Outstanding January 1, 1929 | \$ | 2.00 | | |

MOTH TAX

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|-------|----|-------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ | 34.75 | | |
| Correction by Audit | | 3.00 | | |
| Payment 1928 to Collector..... | | | | 37.75 |
| | | | | |
| | \$ | 37.75 | \$ | 37.75 |

DECEMBER ASSESSMENT 1927

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|--------|----|--------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ | 509.68 | | |
| Payments 1928 to Collector | | | | 504.14 |
| Balance December 31, 1928..... | | | | 5.44 |
| | | | | |
| Balance December 31, 1928..... | \$ | 509.68 | \$ | 509.68 |

PROPERTY TAX 1927

| | | | | |
|--|----|-----------|----|-----------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ | 19,607.95 | | |
| Correction by Audit excess of commitment | | .04 | | |
| Moth Tax Credit to Property by error..... | | .25 | | |
| Payments 1928 to Collector | | | \$ | 18,835.90 |
| Correction by Audit Interest Credit by error.... | | | | .55 |
| Abatements | | | | 381.54 |
| Balance | | | | 390.25 |
| | | | | |
| | \$ | 19,608.24 | \$ | 19,608.24 |

POLL TAXES 1928

| | | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|----|--------|
| Commitment April 1, 1928 | \$ | 932.00 | | |
| December Assessments | | 30.00 | | |
| Payments 1928 to Collector..... | | | | 944.00 |
| Balance December 31 | | | | 18.00 |
| | | | | |
| | \$ | 962.00 | \$ | 962.00 |

PROPERTY TAX 1928

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Commitment | \$ 76,153.97 | |
| Payments 1928 to Collector | | \$ 57,008.25 |
| Abatements | | 13.16 |
| Balance | | 19,132.56 |
| | <u>\$ 76,153.97</u> | <u>\$ 76,153.97</u> |

MOTH TAX 1928

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Commitment | \$ 37.25 | |
| Payments to Collector | | \$ 25.50 |
| Balance | | 11.75 |
| | <u>\$ 37.25</u> | <u>\$ 37.25</u> |

DECEMBER ASSESSMENT 1928

| | | |
|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Commitment | \$ 714.56 | |
| Payments | | \$ 697.64 |
| Abatements | | 1.16 |
| Balance | | 15.76 |
| | <u>\$ 714.56</u> | <u>\$ 714.56</u> |

STATE AID REVENUE ACCOUNT

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Due from State January 1, 1928 | \$ 168.00 | |
| Payments by Town, 1928 | 138.00 | |
| Cash from State, 1928 | | \$ 168.00 |
| Due from State..... | | 138.00 |
| | <u>\$ 296.00</u> | <u>\$ 296.00</u> |

TEMPORARY LOANS

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928 | \$ 10,000.00 | |
| Borrowed 1928 | 60,000.00 | |
| Payments 1928 | | \$ 60,000.00 |
| Outstanding December 31 | | 10,000.00 |
| | <u>\$ 70,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 70,000.00</u> |

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS
GENERAL GOVERNMENT
CREDIT

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| Appropriation: | \$ 6,800.00 |
| Refund Lynn Gas Co., over- payment | 119.40 |
| Refund, DeWick Flanders Co., insurance | 176.56 |
| Refund, Raymond Daly, in- surance | .96 |
| Drawn from Emergency Fund.. | 108.80 |
| | <hr/> \$ 7,205.74 |

DEBIT
SELECTMEN

Salaries:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Frank C. Newhall, 1 year..... | \$ 166.67 | |
| Ralph E. Cox, 1 year | 166.66 | |
| Andrew Mansfield, 10 months.. | 138.89 | |
| Joseph F. Smith, 2 months.... | 27.78 | \$ 500.00 |

Expense:

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| Frank C. Newhall, perambu- lating | \$ 15.00 | |
| Ralph E. Cox, perambulating.. | 15.00 | |
| Andrew Mansfield, perambula- ting | 15.00 | |
| George W. Abbott, printing.... | 8.75 | |
| Clerk of Court, recording petition | 3.00 | |
| Wells & Wells, serving war- rants | 4.00 | |
| Hobbs & Warren, forms | 4.15 | |
| Andrew Mansfield, tel. and postage, etc. | 14.62 | |
| Ward Greenhouse, flowers..... | 10.00 | \$ 89.52 |

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Salary:

| | |
|-------------------------|-----------|
| Oscar E. Phillips | \$ 500.00 |
|-------------------------|-----------|

Expense:

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Oscar E. Phillips, sundries..... | \$ 9.50 |
| Hazel M. Phillips, typing report | 12.00 |

| | | | |
|--|--------|----|--------|
| Jos. F. Smith, rent of type- writer | 10.00 | | |
| Edw. A. Russell, mailing reports | 4.52 | | |
| Everett E. Harvey, mailing reports | 4.40 | | |
| Mass. Commonwealth, supplies | 7.48 | | |
| Wakefield Item Co., printing | | | |
| Town Reports | 192.50 | \$ | 240.40 |

TREASURER

| | | | |
|--|---------|----|--------|
| Salary: | | | |
| Franklin W. Freeman | | \$ | 300.00 |
| Expense: | | | |
| Thomas Groom Co., supplies .. | \$ 4.77 | | |
| George W. Abbott, printing.... | 20.50 | | |
| Howard S. Kent, check protector | 25.00 | | |
| Wakefield Trust Co., rent de- posit box | 5.00 | | |
| G. H. Bancroft, treasurer's bond | 67.50 | | |
| F. W. Freeman, miscellaneous expense | 23.05 | \$ | 145.82 |

COLLECTOR

| | | | |
|---|----------|----|--------|
| Salary: | | | |
| Franklin W. Freeman | | \$ | 300.00 |
| Expense: | | | |
| Franklin W. Freeman, postage and Tel., etc. | \$ 30.90 | | |
| George W. Abbott, printing tax bills | 17.75 | | |
| Edward A. Russell, stamped env. | 34.64 | | |
| American Surety Co., Collector's bonds | 135.00 | | |
| Franklin W. Freeman, tax sale | 8.95 | \$ | 227.24 |

ASSESSORS

| | | | |
|--|--------|----|--------|
| Salaries: | | | |
| William W. Moxham, 460 hrs. @ 50c | 230.00 | | |
| George H. Bancroft, 612 hrs. @ 50c | 306.00 | | |
| Everett B. Richards, 428 hrs. @ 50c | 214.00 | \$ | 750.00 |

Expense:

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|--------|
| Frederick Sweetser, transportation | 22.13 | | |
| William W. Moxham, transportation | 30.00 | | |
| William W. Moxham, supplies.. | 4.20 | | |
| Geo. H. Bancroft, supplies and telephone | 6.85 | | |
| Everett B. Richards, telephone | 3.00 | | |
| Hobbs & Warren, supplies | 13.30 | | |
| Wakefield Item Co., printing notices | 1.50 | | |
| Auto Tax Service Co., auto tax list | 5.00 | | |
| Lilla D. Scott, record of deeds.. | 39.10 | | |
| L. M. Bancroft, clerical work... | 25.50 | \$ | 150.58 |

TOWN CLERK

Salary:

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------|
| Oscar E. Phillips | \$ | 200.00 |
|-------------------------|----|--------|

Expense:

| | | |
|--|-------|----------|
| Recording births, marriages and deaths | \$ | 32.00 |
| C. F. Hartshorne & Son, bond.. | 5.00 | |
| Wakefield Item Co., letterheads | 3.00 | |
| J. L. Fairbanks, mortgage binder | 3.60 | |
| Oscar E. Phillips, sundries..... | 12.51 | \$ 56.11 |

REGISTRATION OF NOTES

| | | |
|--|----|-------|
| Division of Accounts Registration of Town Note | \$ | 18.00 |
|--|----|-------|

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Expense:

| | | |
|---|----|-------|
| Wakefield Item Co., printing report | \$ | 17.00 |
|---|----|-------|

TOWN COUNSEL

Salary:

| | | |
|---|----|--------|
| Rutherford E. Smith, legal services | \$ | 208.96 |
|---|----|--------|

ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATION REGISTRARS

Salaries:

| | | | | |
|------------------------|----|-------|----|-------|
| Wm. R. Delamater..... | \$ | 15.00 | | |
| Edward A. Russell..... | | 15.00 | | |
| Sidney M. Eaton | | 15.00 | \$ | 45.00 |

Expense:

| | | | | |
|--|--|-------|----|-------|
| Geo. M. Roundy, supplies..... | | .75 | | |
| Frederick Sweetser, transporta- tion | | 7.00 | | |
| R. S. Burn Co., index cards.... | | 2.70 | | |
| Hazel Phillips, typewriting.... | | 3.00 | | |
| Geo. W. Abbott, printing voting lists | | 38.00 | \$ | 51.45 |

ELECTION OFFICERS

Salaries:

Town Election Precinct 1

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|-------|----|-------|
| Everett B. Richards | \$ | 10.00 | | |
| Clarence A. Hall | | 10.00 | | |
| Minot H. Carter | | 10.00 | | |
| Carl J. Cheever..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Dana J. Sweetser..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Daniel J. McCarthy..... | | 10.00 | \$ | 60.00 |

Town Election Precinct 2

| | | | | |
|------------------------|----|-------|----|-------|
| Wesley W. Munroe..... | \$ | 10.00 | | |
| Harold W. Treamer..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Joseph A. Donovan..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Sidney M. Eaton..... | | 10.00 | | |
| James D. McNamara..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Wm. R. Delamater | | 10.00 | \$ | 60.00 |

ELECTION OFFICERS

Salaries:

Primary April 24, 1928, Precinct 1

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|----|------|----|-------|
| Franklin W. Freeman..... | \$ | 5.00 | | |
| Clarence A. Hall | | 5.00 | | |
| Sidney E. Richards | | 5.00 | | |
| Everett B. Richards..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Daniel J. McCarthy..... | | 5.00 | \$ | 25.00 |

Salaries:

Primary April 24, 1928, Precinct 2

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|------|----|-------|
| Wesley W. Munroe..... | \$ | 5.00 | | |
| Wm. R. Delamater | | 5.00 | | |
| Sidney M. Eaton..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Harold W. Treameer..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Joseph A. Donovan..... | | 5.00 | | |
| James D. McNamara..... | | 5.00 | \$ | 30.00 |

Primary September 18, 1928, Precinct 1

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|----|------|----|-------|
| Franklin W. Freeman..... | \$ | 5.00 | | |
| Clarence A. Hall..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Carl H. Russell..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Sidney M. Richards..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Everett B. Richards..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Daniel J. McCarthy..... | | 5.00 | \$ | 30.00 |

Salaries:

Primary September 18, 1928, Precinct 2

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|------|----|-------|
| Wesley W. Munroe..... | \$ | 5.00 | | |
| Joseph A. Donovan | | 5.00 | | |
| Wm. R. Delamater..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Sidney M. Eaton..... | | 5.00 | | |
| Harold W. Treameer..... | | 5.00 | | |
| James D. McNamara..... | | 5.00 | \$ | 30.00 |

Salaries:

Election Officers, Election November 6, 1928

Precinct 1

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|----|-------|----|-------|
| Franklin W. Freeman..... | \$ | 10.00 | | |
| Wm. H. Sheehe..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Everett B. Richards..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Clarence A. Hall..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Sidney E. Richards..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Carl H. Russell..... | | 10.00 | | |
| John Solari..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Daniel J. McCarthy..... | | 10.00 | \$ | 80.00 |

Precinct 2

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|-------|----|-------|
| Wesley W. Munroe..... | \$ | 10.00 | | |
| Joseph A. Donovan..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Wm. R. Delamater..... | | 10.00 | | |
| Sidney M. Eaton | | 10.00 | | |
| Harold W. Treameer..... | | 10.00 | | |
| James D. McNamara..... | | 10.00 | \$ | 60.00 |

RECOUNT

Salaries:

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|--|
| Franklin W. Freeman..... | \$ | 2.00 | | |
| Carl H. Russell | | 2.00 | | |
| Clarence A. Hall..... | 2.00 | \$ | 6.00 | |

Other Expenses:

| | | | | |
|--|-----|-------|--------|--|
| Frederick Sweetser, transportation | \$ | 2.00 | | |
| Wesley W. Munroe, transportation | | 8.00 | | |
| Wakefield Item Co., printing warrants | | 24.00 | | |
| Geo. W. Abbott, ballots and tally sheets | | 73.00 | | |
| Albert G. Tedford, posting warrants and services at election | | 27.50 | | |
| G. M. Roundy, pencils..... | | .81 | | |
| G. M. Roundy, lunch at primaries | | 7.26 | | |
| J. A. Donovan, lunch at primaries | | 7.10 | | |
| R. E. Cox, dinners..... | | 10.00 | | |
| R. E. Cox, seals..... | .40 | \$ | 160.07 | |

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

Salaries:

| | | | | |
|----------------------------|----|--------|--|--|
| George T. D. Barnjum | \$ | 100.00 | | |
|----------------------------|----|--------|--|--|

Expense:

| | | | | |
|--|------|-------|-------|--|
| George T. D. Barnjum, supplies and expense | \$ | 19.45 | | |
| Frederick Sweetser, transportation | | 14.50 | | |
| Wakefield Item Co., printing... | 7.95 | \$ | 41.90 | |

TOWN HALL

Janitor:

| | | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|--------|--|--|
| Edward L. Phillips, wages..... | \$ | 234.40 | | |
|--------------------------------|----|--------|--|--|

Fuel and Light:

| | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|--|
| Reading Light Board, lighting.. | \$ | 101.59 | | |
| Lynn Gas & Elec. Co., heating. | 983.72 | \$ | 1,085.31 | |

Insurance:

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------|-------------|
| Dewick and Flanders..... | \$ | 544.64 | |
| Bancroft, Agency..... | | 299.80 | |
| Raymond C. Daly..... | | 303.10 | \$ 1,047.54 |

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|--|--|-------|
| Raymond C. Daly, old town hall | | | 33.60 |
|--------------------------------|--|--|-------|

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--|----|-------|-----------|
| Wm. E. Gilson, repairs to motor pump | \$ | 1.50 | |
| A. H. Whidden, rubbish burner. | | 3.00 | |
| New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone 11 mos..... | | 32.25 | |
| M. A. Fletcher, repairs to piano | | 24.00 | |
| Public Safety Commission, inspection of boiler | | 5.00 | |
| Wm. W. Moxham, guard rails and repairs..... | | 64.00 | |
| E. L. Phillips, sharpening lawn mower | | 2.75 | |
| E. L. Phillips, supplies | | 4.79 | |
| G. M. Roundy, light bulbs, etc. | | 2.50 | \$ 139.79 |

\$ 2,540.64

PRECINCT 2 HALL

Janitor:

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----|-------|--|
| L. O. Newhall, wages..... | \$ | 82.00 | |
|---------------------------|----|-------|--|

Fuel and Light:

| | | | |
|--|----|-------|----------|
| Peabody Light Plant, lighting, 9 mos. | \$ | 5.58 | |
| Curley Bros., coal | | 63.00 | |
| Lynn Gas & Elec. Co., gas..... | | .50 | \$ 69.08 |

Other Expense:

| | | | |
|---|----|-------|----------|
| J. W. Harvey, light bulbs..... | \$ | 3.42 | |
| Geo. H. Jacobs Co., repairs to flag | | 3.00 | |
| Frank C. Newhall, light fixture | | 1.00 | |
| Mas. Cleaning Co., cleaning windows | | 18.00 | |
| L. O. Newhall, supplies | | .45 | |
| James Stokes, setting glass.... | | 3.00 | |
| Putman Brown, repairs | | 7.10 | \$ 35.97 |

\$ 187.05

Payments Town Hall \$2,540.64
 Payments Hall Prec. 2 187.05

\$2,727.69

SUMMARY
 GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

| | Salaries | Expense | Total | |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|------------|------------|
| Selectmen | \$500.00 | \$ 89.52 | \$ 589.52 | |
| Town Accountant | 500.00 | 240.40 | 740.40 | |
| Treasurer | 300.00 | 145.82 | 445.82 | |
| Collector | 300.00 | 227.24 | 527.24 | |
| Assessors | 750.00 | 150.58 | 900.58 | |
| Town Clerk | 200.00 | 56.11 | 256.11 | |
| Town Counsel | 208.96 | | 208.96 | |
| Registrars | 45.00 | 51.45 | 96.45 | |
| Election Officers | 381.00 | 160.07 | 541.07 | |
| Building Inspector | 100.00 | 41.90 | 141.90 | |
| Finance Committee | | | 17.00 | |
| Registration Town Notes | | | 18.00 | |
| Town Hall | | | 2,540.64 | |
| Hall Precinct 2 | | | 187.05 | \$7,205.74 |
| | | | | |
| Total Payments | | | \$7,205.74 | |

FIRE DEPARTMENT
 CREDIT

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 3,000.00 |
| For Fire Alarm System..... | 500.00 |
| For Hydrants | 1,050.00 |
| For Extra Hydrant*..... | 75.00 |
| To balance account*..... | 828.70 |
| *Finance Commission Emergency Fund | |

\$ 5,453.70

DEBIT

Salaries:

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| William W. Moxham, Chief.... | \$ 100.00 |
|------------------------------|-----------|

HOUSE 1

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Carl I. Cheever, Capt..... | \$ 75.00 | |
| Oscar E. Phillips, Lieut..... | 50.00 | |
| Minot H. Carter, Call Man.... | 35.00 | |
| Raymond Pearson, Call Man... | 35.00 | |
| Leon Pearson, Call Man..... | 35.00 | |
| Charles Pratt, Call Man..... | 35.00 | |
| Charles Pratt, Jr., Call Man... | 35.00 | \$ 300.00 |

HOUSE 2

Salaries:

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|----|-------|-----------|
| William H. Griffin, Capt..... | \$ | 75.00 | |
| Jos. A. Donovan, Lieut..... | | 50.00 | |
| H. H. Kaler, Call Man..... | | 35.00 | |
| H. F. Griffin, Call Man..... | | 35.00 | |
| W. W. Munroe, Call Man..... | | 35.00 | |
| George Carder, Call Man..... | | 35.00 | |
| Albert A. Newhall, Call Man.... | | 35.00 | |
| Forest E. Ross, Mechanic..... | | 60.00 | |
| Forest E. Ross, Supt. Fire Alarm | | 75.00 | \$ 435.00 |
| <hr/> | | | |
| | | | \$ 835.00 |

HOUSE NO. 1

Fuel and Light:

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-------|----------|
| Percy Sweetser, Coal..... | \$. | 65.00 | |
| Town of Reading, Lighting..... | | 10.53 | \$ 75.53 |
| <hr/> | | | |

Janitor:

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|--|--|----------|
| Minot H. Carter, Service..... | | | \$ 50.00 |
|-------------------------------|--|--|----------|

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|-------|-----------|
| George M. Roundy, Supplies.... | \$ | 56.12 | |
| Lyman H. Twiss, Pump Belt.... | | 1.50 | |
| J. W. Grace Co., Stove Pipe.... | | 11.36 | |
| New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., tel. | | 37.55 | |
| K. Tornberg, Special Service... | | 5.00 | \$ 123.09 |
| <hr/> | | | |

PAY ROLLS

| | | | |
|------------------|--|--|-----------|
| Fire Calls | | | \$ 368.57 |
|------------------|--|--|-----------|

Fire Permits:

| | | | |
|---|----|-------|----------|
| Minot H. Carter, Permits issued | \$ | 13.10 | |
| Albert G. Tedford, Permits issued | | 1.70 | \$ 14.80 |
| <hr/> | | | |

Repairs to Apparatus:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Lynnfield Service Garage, Labor | \$ | 117.30 | |
| The White Co., parts furnished | | 49.95 | \$ 167.25 |
| <hr/> | | | |

HOUSE NO. 2

Fuel and Light:

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|----|-------|-----------|
| Curley Bros., Coal..... | \$ | 94.50 | |
| Lynn Gas & Electric Co..... | | 5.95 | |
| City of Peabody, light and power | | 54.36 | \$ 154.81 |
| <hr/> | | | |

Janitor:

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----|-------|
| L. O. Newhall, Service..... | \$ | 41.30 |
|-----------------------------|----|-------|

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|--|------|-----------|
| Lynnfield Water District Water | \$ | 18.00 |
| J. W. Harvey..... | | 49.02 |
| Joseph Paeton, tires, chains, etc. | | 94.93 |
| Jenney Manuf'g, gas and oil.... | | 82.83 |
| Sauntaug Bottling Co., supplies | | 1.25 |
| Haymarket Hardware Co., supplies | | 23.71 |
| Auto Hose Co., supplies..... | | 40.12 |
| American Fire Equipment Co., supplies | | 44.00 |
| H. I. Dallman, brooms and pails | | 13.60 |
| Preston Garage, service..... | | 2.80 |
| Badger Fire Ext. Co., repairs to tanks, etc..... | | 22.47 |
| New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., toll calls | 4.70 | \$ 397.43 |

Fire Permits:

| | | |
|------------------------------|----|-------|
| W. W. Moxham, permits issued | \$ | 10.20 |
|------------------------------|----|-------|

| | | |
|----------------------------|----|--------|
| Fire Calls, pay rolls..... | \$ | 472.20 |
|----------------------------|----|--------|

Repairs to Apparatus:

| | | |
|--|-------|-----------|
| Lynnfield Service Garage, repairs to Ford..... | \$ | 46.05 |
| Lynnfield Service Garage, repairs to Loco..... | | 253.54 |
| Forrest Ross, labor..... | | 27.00 |
| Forrest Ross, new generator.... | 20.00 | \$ 346.59 |

Hydrant Service:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----|----------|
| Lynnfield Water District..... | \$ | 1,125.00 |
|-------------------------------|----|----------|

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|
| Forest Fires, pay roll..... | \$ | 158.25 |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|

Fire Alarm Expense:

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----|--------|
| General Electric Co., supplies.. | \$ | 14.42 |
| Diehl Manuf'g Co., supplies.... | | 5.56 |
| Wetmore Savage Co., supplies.. | | 1.04 |
| A. C. Day Sons Co., supplies.... | | 65.00 |
| Forrest Ross, labor..... | | 67.05 |
| Frank Collins, labor..... | | 13.60 |
| Wm. F. Parker..... | | 420.28 |

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------|----|----------|
| Graybar Co., wire and fittings.. | 25.23 | | |
| Salem Garage, moving lumber.. | 1.50 | \$ | 613.68 |
| | | | |
| | | \$ | 5,453.70 |
| | | \$ | 5,453.70 |

FIRE ALARM

CREDIT

Appropriation..... \$ 500.00

DEBIT

| | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|
| Graybar Electric Co., wire and fittings | \$ | 394.98 | |
| Wm. F. Parker, labor..... | 105.02 | \$ | 500.00 |

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

Appropriation \$ 2,400.00

DEBIT

Salaries:

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--------|----------|
| Albert G. Tedford, Chief..... | \$ | 411.00 | |
| Fred W. Bryant, Patrolman.... | 1,820.00 | | |
| Lewis F. Pope, Special Officer.. | 71.80 | | |
| Raymond F. Pope, Spec. Officer | 5.00 | | |
| Josiah Paeton, Special Officer.. | 12.00 | | |
| Allison G. Tedford, Spec. Officer | 5.50 | | |
| Fred W. Bryant, Special Officer | 12.00 | \$ | 2,337.30 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--|-------|------|-------|
| L. F. Pope, transportation..... | \$ | 6.00 | |
| Albert G. Tedford, transportation | 11.00 | | |
| Louis Gersinovitch, transportation | 4.00 | | |
| Albert G. Tedford, telephone... | 7.00 | \$ | 28.00 |

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----------|--|
| Total payments | \$ | 2,365.30 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | 34.70 | |

| | | | |
|----|----------|----|----------|
| \$ | 2,400.00 | \$ | 2,400.00 |
|----|----------|----|----------|

BOARD OF HEALTH
CREDIT

Appropriation \$ 50.00

DEBIT

Salaries:

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|------|----------|
| Frank C. Newhall..... | \$ | 8.33 | |
| Ralph E. Cox..... | | 8.34 | |
| Andrew Mansfield..... | | 6.96 | |
| Joseph Smith..... | | 1.37 | \$ 25.00 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|---|----|------|----------|
| Palmer Corbett, Examination Dogs | \$ | 8.00 | |
| Franklin W. Freeman, atten- dance, accident, case..... | | 3.00 | \$ 11.00 |

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|-------|-------|
| Total payments | \$ | 36.00 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | | 14.00 |

| | | | |
|--|----|-------|----------|
| | \$ | 50.00 | \$ 50.00 |
|--|----|-------|----------|

INSPECTION BARNs AND ANIMALS
CREDIT

Appropriation \$ 50.00

DEBIT

Salaries:

Inspector

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-------|--|
| Walter Gray, 8 months..... | \$ | 33.33 | |
| Arthur W. Bryant, 4 months.... | | 16.67 | |

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|-------|----------|
| Total payments | \$ | 50.00 | \$ 50.00 |
|----------------------|----|-------|----------|

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
CREDIT

Appropriation \$ 150.00

DEBIT

Salary:

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|-------|--|
| Minot H. Carter..... | \$ | 75.00 | |
|----------------------|----|-------|--|

Expense:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|-------|--|
| Minot H. Carter, transportation | | 25.00 | |
| Minot H. Carter, supplies..... | | 4.77 | |

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|-------------------------|----|--------|-------|
| Total payments..... | \$ | 104.77 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | | 45.23 |

| | | | |
|--|----|--------|-----------|
| | \$ | 150.00 | \$ 150.00 |
|--|----|--------|-----------|

*SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 35,300.00 |
| Refunds | 28.73 |
| From Emergency Fund | 23.05 |

\$ 35,351.78

For painting South School.....

400.000

DEBIT

| | |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| Payment for 1923..... | \$ 35,751.78 |
|-----------------------|--------------|

\$ 35,751.78 \$ 35,751.78

*For itemized account see Report of School Committee.

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND

CREDIT

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| From School Department..... | \$ 675.00 |
|-----------------------------|-----------|

DEBIT

Mass. Teachers' Retirement Fund

Association

\$ 675.00

\$ 675.00 \$ 675.00

PARK DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation | \$ 200.00 |
|---------------------|-----------|

DEBIT

Edward Q. Moulton, labor and

repairs

\$ 29.00

Pearson Bros., labor at Suntaug Pk.

13.00

Pearson Bros., labor at Common....

20.00

H. B. Nesbitt, mowing Common....

68.00

W. E. Wilkinson, stone dust for walk

8.75

Geo. T. D. Barnjum, rep. to pump

10.40

Pearson Bros., care of Common....

44.00

Balance to Revenue

6.85

\$ 200.00 \$ 200.00

STATE CHARGES

CREDIT

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Assessment for State Tax..... | \$ 3,570.00 |
|-------------------------------|-------------|

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Assessment for State Audit..... | 489.65 |
|---------------------------------|--------|

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Assessment for State Highway..... | 418.60 |
|-----------------------------------|--------|

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------|
| Refund, Public Service Account.... | 35.72 |
|------------------------------------|-------|

\$ 4,513.97

DEBIT

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Cash paid State Treasurer..... | \$ 4,513.97 | |
| | <u>\$ 4,513.97</u> | <u>\$ 4,513.97</u> |

COUNTY CHARGES

CREDIT

| | |
|------------------|-------------|
| Assessment | \$ 5,006.71 |
|------------------|-------------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Paid County Treasurer..... | \$ 5,006.71 | |
| | <u>\$ 5,006.71</u> | <u>\$ 5,006.71</u> |

PUBLIC LIBRARY

CREDIT

| | |
|---|--------------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 700.00 |
| Dog Tax, 1927 | 248.25 |
| Income Blake Library Fund..... | 210.00 |
| Income Nash Library Fund..... | 50.00 |
| Income Hawkes Library Fund..... | 22.50 |
| Income Clough Library Fund.... | 13.64 |
| Refund on Gas..... | .67 |
| From Emergency Fund to balance account | 54.00 |
| From Emergency Fund for Branch Library | 180.00 |
| | <u>\$ 1,479.06</u> |

DEBIT

MAIN LIBRARY

| | | | |
|--|-----------|----|--------|
| Salaries and wages: | | | |
| Elizabeth W. Green, Librarian.. | \$ 182.50 | | |
| Seth H. Russell, Janitor..... | 61.00 | \$ | 243.50 |
| Fuel and Light: | | | |
| Town of Reading, lighting..... | \$ 20.34 | | |
| Walter Wilkinson, wood..... | 18.00 | \$ | 38.34 |
| Books and Periodicals: | | | |
| DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., books.... | \$ 160.23 | | |
| H. Goldberger Agency, mag- azines | 30.00 | | |
| The Mayfair Agency, books.... | 2.00 | | |
| The Century Co., magazines.... | 6.50 | | |
| F. J. Barnard Co., books..... | 3.50 | \$ | 202.23 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------|----|--------|
| H. E. Todd, labor..... | 47.04 | | |
| Raymond C. Daly, Insurance.. | 47.55 | | |
| Library Bureau, supplies..... | 3.80 | | |
| Wakefield Item, printing..... | 3.50 | | |
| L. F. Pope, setting glass..... | 5.00 | | |
| Pearson Bros., grading..... | 12.00 | | |
| Lynn Book Bindery..... | 22.60 | | |
| F. J. Barnard, rebinding..... | 42.60 | | |
| Wm. Blanchard, flag | 12.00 | | |
| Dennison Co., paper | 3.41 | | |
| E. W. Green, supplies..... | 3.22 | \$ | 202.72 |

BRANCH LIBRARY

Salary and wages:

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Gertrude A. Chipman, Librarian.. | \$ | 182.00 | |
| Gertrude A. Chipman, Janitor..... | | 52.00 | |
| Gertrude A. Chipman, extra time.. | 10.44 | \$ | 244.44 |

Fuel and Light:

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|------|-------|-------|
| Lynn Gas & Electric Co., fuel | \$ | 27.13 | |
| Peabody Light Plant, 9 mo.... | 4.23 | \$ | 31.36 |

Books and Periodicals:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| De Wolfe Fiske, books | \$ | 106.92 | |
| Louis M. Newhall, subscriptions | | 21.75 | |
| Ezra Meeker, books | | 2.00 | |
| Junior Home, subscriptions..... | | 4.00 | |
| Personal Book Shop..... | 109.30 | \$ | 243.97 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Ideal Roofing Co..... | \$ | 11.05 | |
| Library Bureau..... | | 24.70 | |
| Dennison Manufacturing Co.. | | 1.60 | |
| F. D. Cornet, expense..... | | 1.05 | |
| Guilford Lumber Co., lumber..... | \$ | 22.50 | |
| James D. Stokes, labor..... | 31.60 | \$ | 92.50 |
| | | \$ | 608.65 |

*REPAIRS TO BRANCH LIBRARY

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| Anthony Malo, foundation..... | \$ | 105.00 | |
| Isnor Erikson, painting..... | 75.00 | \$ | 180.00 |
| Total Payments | | \$ | 1,479.06 |
| | | \$ | 1,479.06 |
| | | \$ | 1,479.06 |

*Money granted from Emergency Fund by Finance Committee.

MOTH DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation, March 14, 1928..... | \$ 1,162.73 |
| Appropriation..... | 700.00 |
| Refund | 1.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,863.73 |

DEBIT

Labor:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| L. H. Twiss..... | \$ 497.28 |
| E. D. Evans..... | 416.00 |
| Charles Sweetser..... | 84.00 |
| Wm. Bowen..... | 26.00 |
| George Badaracco..... | 8.00 |
| Walter Wilkinson, Jr..... | 34.00 |
| Ernest Savage..... | 47.00 |
| Leon Pearson..... | 2.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,114.28 |

Other Expenses:

| | |
|--|---------|
| J. W. Harvey, kerosene..... | \$ 3.14 |
| Anthony DeCecca, cartage | 7.00 |
| Barry's Garage, battery..... | 3.50 |
| Walter Wilkinson, horse hire.... | 42.50 |
| Ernest Savage, truck..... | 94.00 |
| Wanamaker & Feindel, chain and hook | 1.25 |
| George M. Roundy, gas and oil | 5.60 |
| L. H. Twiss, telephone..... | 4.05 |
| Jenney Man'f'g Co., gas and oil. | 13.09 |
| L. H. Twiss, transportation.... | 314.75 |

\$ 488.88

Correction by Audit..... .10

Total Payments..... \$ 1,603.26

Balance to Revenue..... 260.47

\$ 1,863.73 \$ 1,863.73

TREE WARDEN

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation | \$ 500.00 |
|---------------------|-----------|

DEBIT

Labor:

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss, labor..... | \$ | 188.10 | |
| E. D. Evans, labor..... | | 176.00 | |
| | | | |
| | | | \$ 364.10 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--|----|--------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss, transportation | \$ | 110.00 | |
| Fitzhenry Gupstill, transportation | | 24.95 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | .95 | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | \$ | 500.00 | \$ 500.00 |

CLEARING BRUSH

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 600.00 |
|---------------------|----|--------|

DEBIT

Labor:

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss..... | \$ | 235.78 | |
| E. D. Evans..... | | 186.00 | |
| Charles Sweetser..... | | 28.00 | |
| | | | |
| | | | \$ 449.78 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss, transportation.... | | 138.75 | |
| Sears Roebuck, grind stone.... | | 11.47 | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | \$ | 600.00 | \$ 600.00 |

TOWN SURVEY

CREDIT

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 500.00 |
| Balance from 1928, unfinished work.. | | 200.00 |
| | | |
| | | |
| | \$ | 700.00 |

DEBIT

| | | | |
|---|----|--------|-----------|
| Morse and Dickinson, survey and plans | \$ | 500.00 | |
| Morse and Dickinson, bal. on 1928 | | 200.00 | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | \$ | 700.00 | \$ 700.00 |

PLANNING BOARD—ZONING

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------|--|----|--------|
| Appropriation | | \$ | 700.00 |
|---------------------|--|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Morse & Dickinson, zoning plans | | | |
| and surveying | \$ | 550.00 | |
| Wakefield Item, printing..... | | 28.50 | |
| Frederick Sweetser, transportation.. | | 12.50 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | 109.00 | |
| | \$ | 700.00 | \$ 700.00 |

TOWN HALL SEATS

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------|--|----|--------|
| Appropriation | | \$ | 375.00 |
|---------------------|--|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Mahoney Chair Co..... | \$ | 375.00 | |
| | \$ | 375.00 | \$ 375.00 |

TOWN HALL CURTAIN

CREDIT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|--------|--|
| Received from Nash Improvement | | | |
| Fund | \$ | 325.23 | |
| Received from Civic League | | 84.77 | |
| Received from Firemen's Volunteer | | | |
| Association | | 25.00 | |

DEBIT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Cash paid Goddard Bros..... | \$ | 435.00 | |
| | \$ | 435.00 | \$ 435.00 |

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|-----------|--|
| Appropriation | \$ | 12,000.00 | |
| Refund, Barrett Co..... | | 158.00 | |

| | | |
|--|----|-----------|
| | \$ | 12,158.00 |
|--|----|-----------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Labor, pay rolls..... | \$ | 4,200.87 |
| Trucks and teams, pay rolls..... | | 2,184.24 |
| Gravel, sone, sand, pay rolls..... | | 1,147.21 |
| Tarvia and oil, The Barrett Co.... | | 2,027.77 |
| Tarvia and oil, Alden Spears Sons | | |
| Company | | 1,434.16 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|---|--------|-----------|
| Crystal Oil Co., tractor oil..... | \$ | 9.30 |
| Jenney Manufacturing Co., oil and grease | | 2.70 |
| George H. Taylor, supplies..... | | 3.25 |
| George M. Roundy, supplies.... | 106.33 | |
| Frank E. Russell, gasolene..... | 23.60 | |
| Henry E. Feindel, supplies..... | 97.50 | |
| E. E. Walker, repairs and oil.... | 3.90 | |
| Andrew Mansfield, freight paid | 2.03 | |
| Wannamaker & Feindel, sharp- ening tools, etc..... | 11.10 | |
| Greens Filling Station, gasoline and oil | 6.65 | |
| Lynnfield Service Garage, bat- tery | 2.25 | |
| L. E. Bennett, coal | 20.00 | |
| Dana Perkins, surveying..... | 40.00 | |
| W. E. Knox, lumber and drain tile | 11.25 | |
| Curley Bros., drain tile..... | 3.20 | |
| L. F. Pope, rent of gravel pit.... | 20.00 | |
| Wells and Wells, service..... | 22.80 | |
| Rowe Motor Co., repairs..... | 9.85 | |
| J. Percy Hume, repairs to snow ploughs | 27.09 | |
| Good Roads Machine Co., parts and fittings | 36.83 | |
| E. S. Hitchcock, battery..... | 2.30 | |
| Harper Garage, castings..... | 3.00 | |
| Jos. Labolt Estate, supplies.... | 1.40 | |
| Minot H. Carter, tel. calls..... | 3.50 | |
| Donovan Motor Supply Co., gasolene | .90 | |
| Century Sign Co., sign..... | 10.65 | |
| Young Sign Studio, sign..... | 10.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 11,485.73 |

SNOW REMOVAL

Pay Rolls:

| | | |
|--------------|----|--------|
| Labor | \$ | 84.76 |
| Teams | | 36.43 |
| Trucks | | 418.50 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--|----|------|---|
| Dyar Sales & Machine Co., snow plough blade | \$ | 9.00 | |
| Wannamaker & Feindel, repairs to snow plough..... | | 4.50 | |
| Minot H. Carter, expense..... | | 2.94 | |
| | | | \$ 556.13 |
| Total Payments | | | \$ 12,041.86 |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | | 116.14 |
| | | | <u>\$ 12,158.00</u> <u>\$ 12,158.00</u> |

STREET LIGHTS

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------|--|-------------|
| Appropriation | | \$ 3,567.00 |
|---------------------|--|-------------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|---------------------------------------|
| Precinct 1 | | |
| Town of Reading..... | \$ | 1,971.28 |
| Precinct 2 | | |
| City of Peabody | | 1,245.12 |
| | | <u>3,216.40</u> |
| Total Payments..... | \$ | 3,216.40 |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | 350.60 |
| | | <u>\$ 3,567.00</u> <u>\$ 3,567.00</u> |

REBUILDING MAIN STREET

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----|---------------------|
| Appropriation from Revenue..... | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Bond Issue | | 8,000.00 |
| Received from State..... | | 4,196.16 |
| Received from County..... | | 4,196.17 |
| | | <u>\$ 18,392.33</u> |

DEBIT

| | | |
|---|----|-------|
| Boston Globe, advertising..... | \$ | 11.20 |
| Beverly Times, advertising..... | | 3.00 |
| Boston Post | | 12.60 |
| Lynn Daily Item..... | | 4.20 |
| Beverly Sign Co., detour signs..... | | 1.75 |
| New England Road Building Asso., advertising | | 9.90 |
| Andrew Mansfield, securing releases | | 2.00 |
| Roy Millar, labor..... | | 6.00 |

| | | | |
|---|-----------|----|-----------|
| Clarence Preston..... | 8.50 | | |
| Mass. State Prison, catch basin frames, etc..... | 46.76 | | |
| M. McDonough Co., contract..... | 17,184.50 | | |
| | | | |
| Total Payments | | \$ | 17,290.41 |
| Balance unexpended..... | | | 1,101.92 |
| | | | |
| | | \$ | 18,392.43 |
| | | \$ | 18,392.43 |

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 700.00 |
| From Emergency Fund to balance.. | | 19.40 |
| | | |
| | \$ | 719.40 |

DEBIT

Labor and Other Expenses:

Precinct 1

| | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|
| Seth H. Russell, labor..... | \$ | 145.25 | |
| Wm. E. Roundy, labor..... | | 171.00 | |
| Frank Litchfield, labor..... | | 42.00 | |
| Findley Urquhart, labor | 4.00 | \$ | 362.25 |
| E. L. Phillips, gravel | 9.00 | | |
| Fred Gray, loam..... | 9.00 | | |
| George M. Roundy, grass seed and fertilizer | 20.50 | | |
| Minot Carter, team..... | 139.75 | | |
| J. Wallace Grace, lawn mower.. | 23.00 | | |
| G. M. Roundy, tools..... | 2.20 | | |
| C. B. Dolge, weed killer..... | 14.00 | | |
| | | \$ | 217.45 |

Precinct 2

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Arthur W. Bryant, labor..... | \$ | 70.00 | |
| C. L. Melanson, labor..... | | 8.00 | |
| C. Moriarty, labor..... | | 12.00 | |
| E. M. Fletcher, labor..... | | 4.00 | |
| Frank Newhall, labor..... | 14.00 | \$ | 108.00 |
| Frank Newhall, team | 17.50 | | |
| L. H. Twiss, burning brush.... | 3.00 | | |
| Green's Filling Station, gasoline | .90 | | |
| G. M. Roundy, grass seed..... | 10.30 | \$ | 31.70 |
| | | \$ | 719.40 |
| | | \$ | 719.40 |

MEMORIAL DAY

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------|--|----|--------|
| Appropriation | | \$ | 175.00 |
|---------------------|--|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| American Legion Post..... | \$ | 175.00 | |
| | \$ | 175.00 | \$ 175.00 |

ESSEX COUNTY SANATORIUM TAX

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation, Maintenance..... | \$ | 560.73 |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Paid Essex County Treasurer..... | \$ | 560.73 | |
| | \$ | 560.73 | \$ 560.73 |

ESSEX COUNTY SANATORIUM FUND

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1927..... | \$ | 3,773.94 |
|------------------------------------|----|----------|

| | | |
|-------------------------|--|----------|
| Paid note Due 1928..... | | 2,000.00 |
|-------------------------|--|----------|

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----|----------|
| Bal. on hand, Dec. 31, 1928 | \$ | 1,773.94 |
|-----------------------------|----|----------|

RESERVE FUND

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 1,500.00 |
|---------------------|----|----------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Transfers to Departments..... | \$ | 1,385.49 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | | 114.51 | |
| | \$ | 1,500.00 | \$ 1,500.00 |

MATURING DEBT

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 5,000.00 |
|---------------------|----|----------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Payments 1928 on Centre School.. | \$ | 1,000.00 | |
| Payments 1928 on Town Hall..... | | 2,000.00 | |
| Payments 1928 on Main Street Work | | 2,000.00 | |
| | \$ | 5,000.00 | \$ 5,000.00 |

OUTSTANDING DEBT

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Center School Loan, Dec. 21, 1928.. | \$ 6,000.00 | |
| Town Hall Addition, Dec. 31, 1928.. | 16,000.00 | |
| Main Street Rebuilding, Dec. 31, '28 | 8,000.00 | |
| Essex Co. Sanatorium, Dec. 31, 1928 | 2,000.00 | |
| Debt outstanding Dec. 31, 1927..... | | \$ 37,000.00 |
| Payments 1928..... | | 5,000.00 |
| | <u>\$ 32,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 32,000.00</u> |

INTEREST

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 2,500.00 |
|---------------------|-------------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Payments 1928..... | \$ 2,492.43 | |
| Balance to Revenue..... | 7.57 | |
| | <u>\$ 2,500.00</u> | <u>\$ 2,500.00</u> |

CENTRE SCHOOL LOAN

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928..... | | \$ 7,000.00 |
| Payments 1928 | \$ 1,000.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 6,000.00 | |
| | <u>\$ 7,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 7,000.00</u> |

TOWN HALL ADDITION

| | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 18,000.00 |
| Payments 1928 | \$ 2,000.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 16,000.00 | |
| | <u>\$ 18,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 18,000.00</u> |

ESSEX COUNTY SANATORIUM

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Outstanding January 1, 1928..... | | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Payments 1928..... | \$ 2,000.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 2,000.00 | |
| | <u>\$ 4,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 4,000.00</u> |

MAIN STREET REBUILDING

CREDIT

Appropriated by Town \$ 10,000.00

DEBIT

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Paid from Revenue Account..... | \$ 2,000.00 | |
| Balance on Notes issued | 8,000.00 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 10,000.00 | \$ 10,000.00 |

MARY U. NASH IMPROVEMENT FUND

| | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 2,821.46 |
| Interest 1928 | | 121.03 |
| Withdrawn for Town Hall curtains | \$ 325.23 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 2,617.26 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 2,942.49 | \$ 2,942.49 |

COMPENSATION FUND

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance on hand January 1, 1928.. | | \$ 2,638.76 |
| Interest 1928..... | | 120.03 |
| Payments | \$ 7.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 2,751.79 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 2,758.79 | \$ 2,758.79 |

LEGION MEMORIAL FUND

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Balance on hand January 1, 1928.. | | \$ 793.66 |
| Interest 1928..... | | 36.08 |
| Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1929.. | \$ 829.74 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 829.74 | \$ 829.74 |

GEORGE L. HAWKES LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 500.00 |
| Interest 1928..... | | 22.50 |
| Transferred to Library..... | \$ 22.50 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 500.00 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 522.50 | \$ 522.50 |

MARY U. NASH LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Interest 1928..... | | 50.00 |
| Transferred to Library..... | \$ 50.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 1,000.00 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,050.00 | \$ 1,050.00 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |

GEORGE N. BLAKE LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Interest | | 210.00 |
| Transferred to Library..... | \$ 210.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 4,000.00 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 4,210.00 | \$ 4,210.00 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |

ADELIA J. CLOUGH LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 300.00 |
| Interest | | 13.64 |
| Transferred to Library..... | \$ 13.64 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | 300.00 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 313.64 | \$ 313.64 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928..... | | \$ 8,060.14 |
| Five New Endowments 1928..... | | 600.00 |
| Income for 1928..... | | 372.92 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 9,033.06 |
| Income expended for care of lots... | | 311.75 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Cash on Deposit..... | \$ 8,421.31 | |
| Liberty Bonds | 300.00 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 8,721.31 | \$ 8,721.31 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |

TRUST FUND ACCOUNT

Balancing Account

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1928..... | \$ 20,114.02 |
| Cemetery Endowments..... | 600.00 |
| Nash Improvement Fund Interest.. | 121.03 |
| Compensation Fund Interest..... | 120.03 |
| Legion Fund Interest..... | 36.08 |
| Cemetery Funds Interest | 373.42 |
| Library Funds Interest..... | 296.14 |

Payments 1928

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| From Nash Improvement Fund.... | \$ 325.23 | |
| From Cemetery Funds..... | 310.45 | |
| From Library Funds..... | 296.14 | |
| From Compensation Fund..... | 7.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1928..... | \$ 20,721.60 | |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 21,660.72 | \$ 21,660.72 |

TOWN OF LYNNFIELD BALANCE SHEET, DEC. 31, 1928

ASSETS

Accounts Receivable:

| | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Revenue Cash..... | \$ 10,505.14 |
| Poll Tax 1927..... | 2.00 |
| Property Tax 1927..... | 390.80 |
| Dec. Assessment 1927..... | 5.54 |
| Poll Tax 1928..... | 18.00 |
| Property Tax 1928..... | 19,132.56 |
| Dec. Assessment 1928..... | 15.76 |
| Moth Tax 1928..... | 11.75 |
| State Aid due Town..... | 138.00 |
| Tax Titles..... | 587.72 |
| | <u>\$ 30,807.27</u> |

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable:

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Overlay 1927..... | \$ 1,910.73 |
| Overlay 1928..... | 2,279.39 |
| Revenue Loan..... | 10,000.00 |
| Essex County Sanatorium..... | 1,773.94 |
| Overlay Reserve..... | 5,880.14 |
| Special Revenue Balance..... | 22.50 |
| Tax Titles..... | 587.72 |
| Excess Revenue..... | 8,352.85 |

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NON REVENUE ACCOUNTS

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1928..... | \$ 1,102.02 | Main Street construction (unfinished)..... | \$ 1,102.02 |
|---------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|

BONDED DEBT

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| Net Bonded Debt Dec. 31, 1928..... | \$ 32,000.00 | Center School Loan..... | 6,000.00 |
| | | Main Street Construction..... | 8,000.00 |
| | | Sanatorium..... | 2,000.00 |
| | | Town Hall..... | 16,000.00 |
| | <u>\$ 32,000.00</u> | | <u>\$ 32,000.00</u> |

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS

| | | |
|---|--------------|--|
| Dec. 31, 1928, Cash and Securities..... | \$ 20,720.10 | |
| George. L. Hawkes Library..... | \$ 500.00 | |
| Mary U. Nash Library..... | 1,000.00 | |
| George N. Blake Library..... | 4,000.00 | |
| Adelia J. Clough Library..... | 300.00 | |
| Mary U. Nash Imp. Fund..... | 2,617.26 | |
| Legion Fund..... | 829.74 | |
| Cemetery Trust Funds..... | 8,721.31 | |
| Compensation Fund..... | 2,751.79 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | \$ 20,720.10 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | \$ 20,720.10 | |
| | <hr/> | |
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ACCOUNTANT'S NOTE

The accounts of the Town of Lynnfield have been verified in the several departments, as shown in this report, all payments and receipts of the treasury are in agreement with the Accountant's Records.

All Trust funds have been examined and verified. Accounts of Tax Collector also agree with records of commitments and receipts to date.

Owing to the sudden death of Mr. Oscar E. Phillips, Town Accountant, early in January, 1929, it became necessary to appoint an accountant to balance accounts and prepare the Annual Town Report. If any errors or omissions have occurred, kindly call attention to same, that correction may be made.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. BANCROFT,
Accountant.

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lynnfield in said
County of Essex, Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield, qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet in their respective polling places, on Monday, March 4, 1929, at 5.45 A.M., then and there to bring in their votes on one ballot for the choice of all necessary town officers for the ensuing year chosen in this manner.

The polls in each precinct will be open at 5.45 A.M., and will be closed at 4.00 P.M., on said March 4, 1929.

The polling place for the voters living in Precinct 1 will be in the Town Hall; for the voters living in Precinct 2 will be in Chemical Hall No. 2, corner Broadway and Salem Street, all in said Lynnfield.

And you are further required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet in the Town Hall on Monday, March 11, 1929, at 7.30 P.M., to consider and act upon the following articles.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To act upon reports of town officers as published and special committees.

Art. 3. To choose all town officers not required to be chosen by ballot.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after Jan. 1, 1930, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1, 1930.

Art. 6. To see what disposal the Town will make of the money refunded by the County from the dog tax for the year, 1928.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day and determine how the same shall be expended, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$38,345.00 for the general expense of the School Department or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the general expense of the Highway Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the expense of the General Government of the Town, viz: Town officers' salaries and expenses, care of municipal buildings, elections and registrations, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover protection, including Police, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Milk and Sanitation. and specify how this money is to be divided among the aforesaid departments.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover Department of Charities or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be known as the Reserve Fund, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3567.00 for the operation of street lighting for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4100.00 for the maintenance expense of the Fire Department for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1125.00 to be used for hydrant rental in Lynnfield Water District for the year 1929.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2700.00 to cover payment of interest on debts and loans becoming due the current year, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7000.00 to cover payment of notes maturing the current year or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$96.00 to cover payment of State Aid during the ensuing year or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1354.57 to cover payment of State Moth Assessment for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$731.46 to cover the Town's share of expenses incurred during the year 1928 in maintaining the Essex Sanitarium under the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, or what action it will take thereon

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for the use of the Cemetery Commissioners for the caring for and laying out of the Town Cemeteries for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 for the general expense of the Public Libraries or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$650.00 for special expense of the Libraries, said sum to apply as follows:

\$350.00 estimated expense to raise, install wall under the Branch Library, and to defray incidental expense in connection therewith.

\$300.00 estimated expense to paint the exterior of Center Library two coats and for replacing, if necessary, rotted sill or sills, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 to cover the expense of caring for the Town Parks during the ensuing year or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for private moth work or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden to cut the bushes along the highways or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden in trimming and caring for shade trees along the highways or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to be used by the Moth Superintendent in the suppression of Satin Moths on Parsons Ave., and other trees infested or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one electric street light on Howard Ave, near the home of Charles W. Tyacke.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$10,000.00 to be used in continuing the reconstruction of Main St., as recommended by the Public Works Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$375.00 to be expended by the Selectmen in the purchase of additional seats for the Town Hall or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way Brook Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on a plan filed with the Town Clerk, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for a continuation of the Town Survey, or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to approve the Regulations as printed in this Annual Town Report adopted by the Board of Cemetery Commissioners on Jan. 24, 1929.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of five persons to consider the needs of the Fire Department with regard to Engine House No. 2, which is badly in need of repairs and that the committee shall make a report to the next annual town meeting with its recommendations or what action it will take thereon.

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the repair of and painting Chemical House No. 1.

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote hereafter to elect a Moderator for a term of one year at the same time and in the same manner as in the case of other town officers elected by official ballot.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars, to be expended by the Town Planning Board, said sum to be taken out of the surplus moneys of the Town.

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed from the Town of Wakefield, conveying to the Town of Lynnfield a parcel of land in said Lynnfield on the westerly side of Main st at the boundary line of Wakefield and Lynnfield, being a part of the premises conveyed by Harriet Potter to the Town of Wakefield.

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the conditions of Old Meeting House, at the Center and report not later than the next annual town meeting on the advisability and cost of restoring it as nearly as possible to its condition prior to its use as a Chemical House; this Committee to consist of three persons to be appointed by the Moderator.

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to remodel and enlarge the storage shed at the rear of the Town Hall.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 for additional street light on Salem St, near Fairview Ave.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in at least six public places in said Town and in such other public places as the Selectmen may designate seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not, and make due returns of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Lynnfield the eighteenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-nine.

FRANK C. NEWHALL
RALPH E. COX

A true copy, attest:

Albert G. Tedford, Constable of Town of Lynnfield.



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REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Town Officers 1929-1930

ELECTED

SELECTMEN, BOARD OF HEALTH AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Ralph E. Cox, Chairman | Term expires 1930 |
| Archie L. Hayward, Secretary | Term expires 1930 |
| Joseph F. Smith | Term expires 1930 |

TOWN CLERK

Frederick I. Wilkins

TOWN TREASURER

Franklin W. Freeman

TAX COLLECTOR

Franklin W. Freeman

ASSESSORS

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| William W. Moxham, Chairman | Term expires 1930 |
| George H. Bancroft, Secretary | Term expires 1931 |
| Everett B. Richards | Term expires 1932 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Louis B. Tuck, Chairman | Term expires 1932 |
| Martha D. Mansfield, Secretary | Term expires 1930 |
| Clarence A. Studley | Term expires 1931 |

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Charles Payzant, Chairman | Term expires 1931 |
| Willard I. Olmsted | Term expires 1932 |
| Harry E. Maynard | Term expires 1930 |

PARK COMMISSIONERS

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Edward Q. Moulton, Chairman | Term expires 1930 |
| William G. Wright, Secretary | Term expires 1931 |
| Harry B. Nesbitt | Term expires 1932 |

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Seth H. Russell, Chairman | Term expires 1932 |
| Dexter F. Parker, Secretary | Term expires 1930 |
| Arthur W. Bryant | Term expires 1931 |

TWO CONSTABLES FOR ONE YEAR

| | |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Albert G. Tedford | Fred W. Bryant |
|-------------------|----------------|

TREE WARDEN

Lyman H. Twiss

TOWN PLANNING BOARD

Nelson B. Todd, chairman

Term expires 1930

Carl H. Russell

Term expires 1930

H. Louise Worthen

Term expires 1930

Martha D. Mansfield

Term expires 1930

Ernest P. Lane

Term expires 1930

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN**TOWN COUNSEL**

Rutherford E. Smith

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Carl H. Russell

Term expires 1930

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND BARNES

Arthur W. Bryant

INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Fred W. Bryant

SOLDIERS' BURIAL AGENT

Edward Q. Moulton

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS FOR THREE YEARS

William R. Delamater

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

William W. Moxham

CHIEF OF POLICE

Albert G. Tedford

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Minot H. Carter

WEIGHERS OF COMMODITIES

Elbridge H. Gerry

Edward A. Russell

George M. Roundy

Ella M. Nesbitt

Harry F. Nesbitt

George Strangman

Minot H. Carter

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Minot H. Carter

INSPECTOR OF MILK

Dana I. Sweetser

HEALTH OFFICER

Joseph F. Smith

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

Edward L. Phillips

DOG OFFICER

Fred W. Bryant

FOREST WARDEN

William W. Moxham

SUPERINTENDENT OF MOTH WORK

Lyman H. Twiss

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

George T. D. Barnjum

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Nelson B. Todd, Chairman

Edward A. Moeglin

George M. Roundy

Daniel M. Killoran

John Ward

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS AS ORGANIZED

William R. Delamater, Chairman

Edward A. Russell

Sidney M. Eaton

Frederick I. Wilkins (Ex-Officio)

ELECTION OFFICERS

Precinct 1

Franklin W. Freeman, Warden

Clarence A. Hall, Clerk

George W. Peavey

Sidney E. Richards

Everett B. Richards

Daniel J. McCarthy

Precinct 2

Wesley W. Munroe, Warden

Joseph A. Donovan, Clerk

William R. Delamater

James D. McNamara

Sidney M. Eaton

Harold W. Treamer

SPECIAL POLICE

*Lewis F. Pope
 Josiah Poeton
 Edward L. Phillips
 William J. Larkin
 John M. Lynch
 Fred W. Bryant
 Allison G. Tedford
 James W. Darling
 Ralph E. Cox
 Joseph F. Smith

Wesley W. Munroe
 Harold W. Tremer
 George L. Greene
 Patrick J. Dalton
 Eugene Anderson
 Sigurd Anderson
 Harry C. Pierce
 Raymond F. Pope
 Archie L. Hayward

*Lewis F. Pope was appointed regular officer, for night duty at Lynnfield Centre, April 8th, 1929.

LIST OF JURORS

SELECTED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN, JUNE 25, 1929

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Minot H. Carter, Main St. | Farmer |
| Daniel J. McCarthy, Main St. | Retired |
| George H. Bancroft, Main St. | Insurance Agent |
| Everett B. Richards, Main St. | Shoemaker |
| William W. Moxham, Broadway | Carpenter |
| Wesley W. Munroe, Salem St. | Clerk |
| James M. Cornet, Salem St. | Retired |
| Joseph A. Donovan, Broadway | Merchant |
| Ralph E. Cox, Main St. | Farmer |
| William G. Wright, Locust St. | Farmer |
| John M. Temple, Summer St. | Builder |
| William R. Delamater, Salem St. | Painter |
| Sidney M. Eaton, Salem St. | Shoemaker |
| E. Dudley Evans, Essex St. | Laborer |
| John M. Lynch, Salem St. | Farmer |

REGISTRATION STATISTICS, DECEMBER 1, 1929

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|-------|
| Number of voters registered | 448 | 384 | 832 |
| Assessed polls, April 1, 1929 | 301 | 210 | 511 |
| Population, 1925 Census | 663 | 668 | 1331 |

TOWN OF LYNNFIELD
IS IN THE

| | |
|------------------------------------|---|
| 7th Congressional District | William P. Connery, Jr., Lynn, Mass. |
| 3rd Essex Senatorial District | Cornelius F. Haley, Rowley, Mass. |
| 5th Councillor District | Eugene B. Fraser, Lynn, Mass. |
| 10th Essex Representative District | Tony A. Garofano, Lynn, Mass. Fred A. Hutchinson, Lynn, Mass. C. F. Nelson Pratt, Saugus, Mass. |

DOGS LICENSED IN 1929

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Number of Licenses issued, 175. | |
| 146 Males @ \$2.00 | \$ 292.00 |
| 29 Females @ \$5.00 | 145.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 437.00 |
| Deduct Clerk's fees | 35.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance paid to County Treasurer | \$ 402.00 |

HUNTERS' LICENSES IN 1929

| | |
|--|----------|
| Number of Licenses issued, 28. | |
| 24 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses @ \$2.25 | \$ 54.00 |
| 2 Resident Citizens' Trapping Licenses @ \$2.25 | 4.50 |
| 1 Alien Sporting License | 15.25 |
| 1 Duplicate Sporting License | .50 |
| 1 License voided. | |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 74.25 |
| Deduct Clerks fees | 6.75 |
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| Balance paid to Division of Fisheries and Game | \$ 67.50 |

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JANUARY 2, 1929

At the Special Town Meeting, held January 2, 1929, in the Town Hall at 7.30 p. m., the following business was transacted:

The meeting was called to order by J. F. Smith, moderator.

A motion was made by E. P. Lane and seconded, nominating H. W. Treamer, clerk pro tem, for said meeting. H. W. Treamer was elected pro tem and sworn by J. F. Smith, moderator.

Article 2. A motion was made by N. B. Todd, and seconded, to adopt the Zoning Regulations as recommended by Zoning Committee.

A motion was made by P. J. Walsh, and seconded, to indefinitely postpone.

Voted to indefinitely postpone 121, opposed 95.

A motion was made by Charles Pratt, and seconded, to reconsider.

Motion was withdrawn by Mr. Pratt.

Article 3. A motion was made by L. B. Tuck, and seconded, to authorize the School Committee to use part of 1928 appropriation to pay bills contracted in 1927 and unpaid. This was voted. P. J. Walsh questioned the legality.

Article 4. A motion was made and seconded to adopt Article 4. This was voted.

A motion was made and seconded that the meeting adjourn. Was carried.

Received for record, January 11, 1929.

VIOLA C. PHILLIPS,
Town Clerk, Pro Tem.

APPOINTMENT OF TOWN CLERK PRO TEM

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held on Monday, January 7th, 1929, at the Town Hall, Viola C. Phillips was duly appointed Temporary Town Clerk to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Oscar E. Phillips and was sworn to perform the duties of the office.

FRANK C. NEWHALL,
RALPH E. COX,
Selectmen of Lynnfield.

RESULT OF ELECTION OF THE TOWN OFFICERS, MARCH 4, 1929

* Indicates Election.

THREE SELECTMEN, BOARD OF HEALTH AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE FOR ONE YEAR

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|-------|
| Total Vote Cast | 341 | 305 | 646 |
| *Ralph E. Cox, Main St. | 275 | 79 | 354 |
| *Archie L. Hayward, Salem St. | 102 | 233 | 335 |
| Wesley W. Munroe, Salem St. | 68 | 106 | 174 |
| Frank C. Newhall, Salem St. | 92 | 205 | 297 |
| Charles W. Pratt, Broadway | 27 | 23 | 50 |
| *Joseph F. Smith, Lowell St. | 243 | 96 | 339 |
| Blanks | 216 | 173 | 389 |

TOWN CLERK

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Charles E. Joll, Main St. | 63 | 26 | 89 |
| Walter F. Pearson, Summer St. | 75 | 15 | 90 |
| Harold W. Treamer, Railroad Ave. | 13 | 143 | 156 |
| *Frederick I. Wilkins, Main St. | 185 | 110 | 295 |
| Blanks | 5 | 11 | 16 |

TOWN TREASURER

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Franklin W. Freeman, Main St. | 289 | 266 | 555 |
| Blanks | 52 | 39 | 91 |

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Franklin W. Freeman, Main St. | 286 | 264 | 550 |
| Blanks | 55 | 41 | 96 |

ASSESSOR FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Edward M. Fletcher, Salem St. | 22 | 188 | 210 |
| *Everett B. Richards, Main St. | 290 | 86 | 376 |
| Blanks | 29 | 31 | 60 |

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Albert H. Riggs | 42 | 161 | 203 |
| *Louis B. Tuck | 273 | 107 | 380 |
| Blanks | 26 | 37 | 63 |

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Raymond R. Pearson, Summer St. | 124 | 96 | 220 |
| *Seth H. Russell, Main St. | 206 | 134 | 340 |
| Blanks | 11 | 75 | 86 |

TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR ONE YEAR

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| George A. Cornet, Salem St. | 157 | 72 | 229 |
| Harry E. Maynard, Broadway | 62 | 162 | 224 |
| Blanks | 122 | 71 | 193 |

Recount was held March 13th, result follows:

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| George A. Cornet, Salem St. | 150 | 70 | 220 |
| *Harry E. Maynard, Broadway | 70 | 174 | 244 |
| Blanks | 121 | 61 | 182 |

TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Harry E. Maynard, Broadway | 35 | 93 | 128 |
| *Willard I. Olmsted, Summer St. | 256 | 76 | 332 |
| Blanks | 50 | 136 | 186 |

PARK COMMISSIONER FOR TWO YEARS

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *William G. Wright, Locust St. | 227 | 233 | 460 |
| Blanks | 114 | 72 | 186 |

PARK COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Harry B. Nesbitt, Chestnut St. | 272 | 210 | 482 |
| Blanks | 69 | 95 | 164 |

TWO CONSTABLES FOR ONE YEAR

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Fred W. Bryant, Salem St. | 245 | 263 | 508 |
| *Albert G. Tedford, Lowell St. | 306 | 221 | 527 |
| Blanks | 131 | 126 | 257 |

TREE WARDEN FOR ONE YEAR

| | | | |
|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| *Lyman H. Twiss, Salem St. | 273 | 226 | 499 |
| Scattering | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Blanks | 68 | 78 | 146 |

FIVE MEMBERS OF TOWN PLANNING BOARD FOR ONE YEAR

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|------|
| *Ernest P. Lane, Upton Lane | 236 | 148 | 384 |
| *Martha D. Mansfield, Salem St. | 239 | 136 | 375 |
| *Carl H. Russell, Chestnut St. | 259 | 140 | 399 |
| *Nelson B. Todd, Summer St. | 260 | 141 | 401 |
| *H. Louise Worthen, Lowell St. | 253 | 127 | 380 |
| Scattering | 5 | 4 | 9 |
| Blanks | 455 | 829 | 1284 |

Recount on the election of Library Trustee for one year term

In response to a petition submitted in regular form, a Recount was held Wednesday evening, March 13th, at 8 o'clock, on the election of Library Trustee for one year term, held March 4th.

Those assisting in the Recount included the Board of Registrars and Clarence A. Hall, Franklin W. Freeman, Carl H. Russell, of the Election Officers, a representative of Harry E. Maynard and George A. Cornet being present.

The result of the Recount showed a loss of 9 votes for George A. Cornet, and a gain of 20 votes for Harry E. Maynard, which assured the election of Harry E. Maynard.

The result of the Recount follows:

| | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Total |
|-----------------------------|---------|---------|-------|
| Harry E. Maynard, Broadway | 70 | 174 | 244 |
| George A. Cornet, Salem St. | 150 | 70 | 220 |
| Blanks | 121 | 61 | 182 |

FREDERICK I. WILKINS,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TOWN MEETINGS**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 11, 1929**

The meeting was called to order at 7.35 o'clock p. m. by the Town Clerk, and on motion by Nelson B. Todd it was voted to omit the reading of the articles in the warrant.

After the reading of the call for the meeting, and the Constable's return, the meeting proceeded to act upon the articles.

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting. Nominations were called for and there being but one nominee motion by Nelson B. Todd that the Town Clerk be instructed to cast one ballot for Joseph F. Smith the nominee for moderator was carried, and the instructions being carried out he was declared elected.

Article 2. To act upon reports of town officers as published and special committees.

On motion of W. W. Moxham it was voted to accept the reports of town officers as published and special committees.

Article 3. To choose all town officers not required to be chosen by ballot.

On motion of C. W. Pratt it was voted that James D. McNamara, Daniel J. McCarthy and Joseph F. Smith serve as field drivers, Joseph F. Smith as pound keeper, and George M. Roundy, William E. Roundy and Albert G. Tedford as wood measurers.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1929 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

On motion of John Ward, it was voted unanimously, that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote, to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1930, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930.

Motion by John Ward was carried unanimously, to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1930, and to issue a note or notes therefor.

payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote, to be paid from the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1930.

Article 6. To see what disposal the Town will make of the money refunded by the County from the dog tax for the year 1928.

On motion of Charles Payzant, it was voted that the Town appropriate the money refunded by the County from the dog tax for the year 1928 for the use of the Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day and determine how the same shall be expended, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$150.00.

On motion of C. H. Russell, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 for the observance of Memorial Day, the same to be expended by a committee to be appointed by the American Legion, Post No. 131.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$38,345.00 for the general expense of the School Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$38,345.00.

W. M. Riggs moved that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,300.00 for the general expense of the School Department.

On an amendment made by L. B. Tuck, it was voted unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$38,345.00 for the general expense of the School Department.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the general expense of the Highway Department or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$13,000.00.

Motion was made by Ralph E. Cox that the Town raise and appropriate \$12,000.00 for the general expense of the Highway Department.

An amendment was made by E. P. Lane, that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000.00 for the general expense of the Highway Department and the motion as amended was carried.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the expense of the General Government of the Town, viz: Town officers' salaries and expenses, care of municipal buildings, elections and registrations, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$7,200.00.

George S. Harvey made a motion, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,200.00 to be used to cover the expense of the General Government of the Town, viz: Town Officers' salaries and expenses, care of municipal buildings, elections and registrations, and it was so voted.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover protection, including Police, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Milk and Sanitation, and specify how this money is to be divided among the aforesaid departments.

Recommend: Police, \$4,750.00; Sealer of Weights and Measures, \$150.00; Inspector of Animals, \$75.00; Inspector of Sanitation, \$75.00.

Motion was made by R. E. Cox, that the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$3,000 for Police, 150.00 for Sealer of Weights and Measures, \$75.00 for Inspection of Animals, \$75.00 for Inspection of Milk and Sanitation.

An amendment was made by N. B. Todd that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,750.00 for Police, \$150.00 for Sealer of Weights and Measures, \$75.00 for Inspection of Animals, \$75.00 for Inspection of Milk and Sanitation, and the motion as amended was voted unanimously.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover Department of Charities or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$1,500.00.

On motion of G. S. Harvey, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to cover the Department of charities.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be known as the Reserve Fund, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$1,500.00.

On motion of George H. Bancroft, it was voted unanimously, that the Town appropriate \$1,500.00 from the Overlay Reserve Fund and transfer it to the Reserve Fund.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,567.00 for the operation of street lighting for the ensuing year.

Recommend \$3,567.00.

Motion made by John Ward, that the sum of \$3,567.00 be raised and appropriated by the Town, for the operation of street lighting for the ensuing year, carried unanimously.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,100.00 for the maintenance expense of the Fire Department for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$4,100.00.

Motion by W. W. Moxham, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,100.00 to carry out the purposes of Article 15. Was carried by a unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,125.00 to be used for hydrant rental in Lynnfield Water District, for the year 1929.

Recommend \$1,125.00.

On motion of G. S. Harvey, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,125.00 to be used for hydrant rental in Lynnfield Water District for the year 1929.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,700.00 to cover payment of interest on debts and loans becoming due the current year or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$2,700.00.

Voted: On motion of John Ward that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,700.00 to cover payment of interest on debts and loans, becoming due the current year.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 to cover payment of notes maturing the current year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$7,000.00.

Motion was made by Franklin W. Freeman, that the Town raise and appropriate \$5,226.06, that \$1,773.94 be appropriated from the Essex County Sanitarium Fund to cover the payment of notes maturing the present year, and the motion received a unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$96.00 to cover payment of State Aid during the ensuing year or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$96.00.

Motion made by C. H. Russell that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$96.00 to carry out the purposes of Article 19 was so voted.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,354.57 to cover payment of State Moth Assessment for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$1,354.57.

Motion was made by Franklin W. Freeman, that articles 20, 26, 29 be taken up collectively, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,354.57 to carry out the purposes of these articles. Tellers were appointed and as 88 voted in the affirmative and 92 in the negative the motion was lost.

George S. Harvey made a motion that articles 20, 26, 29 be taken up separately and the same tellers acting, the count showed the motion was carried, 112 having voted in the affirmative and 42 in the negative.

On motion by G. S. Harvey it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,354.57 to cover payment of State Moth Assessment for the ensuing year.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$731.46 to cover the Town's share of expense incurred during the year 1928 in maintaining the Essex Sanitarium under the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$731.46.

Motion by W. W. Moxham was carried, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$731.46 to carry out the purposes of Article 21.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for the use of the Cemetery Commissioners for the caring for and laying out of the Town Cemeteries for the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$800.00.

Voted: On motion by Seth H. Russell, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 to carry out the purposes of article 22.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 for the general expense of the Public Libraries, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$800.00.

Voted: On motion by Charles Payzant, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 for the general expense of the Public Libraries for the ensuing year.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$650.00 for special expense of the Libraries, said sum to apply as follows:

\$350.00 estimated expense to raise, install wall under the Branch Library, and to defray incidental expense in connection therewith.

\$300.00 estimated expense to paint the exterior of Center Library two coats and for replacing, if necessary, rotted sill or sills, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend: Branch Library, \$350.00; Center Library, painting, etc., \$200.00.

R. O. Fraser moved postponement of Article 24 and that Article 41 be acted upon.

Charles Payzant offered an amendment that we take up Article 24. Amendment was lost.

Original motion, that Article 41 be acted upon was carried.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the conditions of Old Meeting House, at the Center, and report not later than the next annual town meeting on the advisability and cost of restoring it as nearly as possible to its condition prior to its use as a Chemical House: this committee to consist of three persons to be appointed by the moderator.

Motion by Charles E. Pearson that a committee of three be appoint-

ed by the moderator, the committee to consist of citizens of the Town of Lynnfield, to carry out the purposes of Article 41 was so voted.

Voted: On motion by G. S. Harvey, that the committee appointed to carry out the purposes of Article 41 be instructed to ascertain from the Town Counsel, his opinion regarding the title to the property.

Motion of W. N. Ober that the purposes of Article 41 be carried out was voted affirmatively.

The moderator appointed Harry A. Worthen, John H. Hewes and Peter J. Walsh.

Article 24 was taken up and on motion of C. W. Pratt it was voted to divide the article acting first upon the first section; that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 estimated expense, to raise and install wall under the Branch Library, and to defray incidental expense in connection therewith. On motion of C. W. Pratt it was voted to indefinitely postpone the second section of Article 24, calling for an appropriation of \$300.00 for repairs on Center Library as it was considered unnecessary.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 to cover the expense of caring for the Town Parks during the ensuing year, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$600.00.

Voted: On motion by H. B. Nesbitt, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 to carry out the purposes of Article 25.

Motion by C. W. Pratt that the meeting adjourn at 10.30 until Tuesday, March 19th, at 8 o'clock p. m., was lost.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for private moth work, or what action it will take thereon. Recommend \$700.00.

On motion by G. S. Harvey, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 to carry out the purposes of Article 26.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden to cut the bushes along the highways, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$500.00.

On motion by C. H. Russell, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to carry out the purposes of Article 27, the appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden in trimming and caring for shade trees along the highways, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$400.00.

Motion by G. H. Bancroft that \$400.00, as recommended by the Finance Committee, be raised and appropriated by the Town, to be

used by the Tree Warden in trimming and caring for the shade trees along the highways, was carried.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to be used by the Moth Superintendent in the suppression of Satin Moths on Parsons Ave.; and other trees infested, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$25.00.

Voted: On motion by N. B. Todd, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to be used by the Moth Superintendent in the suppression of Satin Moths on Parsons Ave. and other trees infested by Satin Moths.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one electric street light on Howard Ave., near the home of Charles W. Tyacke.

Recommend \$13.50.

On motion of Edward A. Russell, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 to install one electric street light on Howard Ave., near the home of Charles W. Tyacke, it was so voted.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, not to exceed \$10,000.00, to be used in continuing the reconstruction of Main St., as recommended by the Public Works Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$10,000.00.

Motion was made by F. W. Freeman that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of continuing the reconstruction of Main St., as recommended by the Public Works Department, said sum to be used with sums allotted by the County of Essex, and by the Commonwealth for said purpose, one-third of the total cost to be borne by each, and that for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, there be raised in the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$2,000.00 and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum up to, but not to exceed \$8,000.00, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 19 of Chap. 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than (4) years from the date of the issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine. The motion was carried unanimously.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$375.00 to be expended by the Selectmen in the purchase of additional seats for the Town Hall, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$375.00.

Voted: On motion by R. E. Cox, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$375.00 to carry out the purposes of Article 32.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way, Brook Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on a plan filed with the Town Clerk, or what action it will take thereon.

Voted: On motion by G. H. Bancroft, that the Town accept as a public way, Brook Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on a plan filed with the Town Clerk.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for a continuation of the Town Survey, or what action it will take thereon.

Recommend \$500.00.

Voted: On motion by G. H. Bancroft, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the continuation of the Town Survey.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to approve the Regulations as printed in this Annual Town Report adopted by the Board of Cemetery Commissioners on January 24, 1929.

On motion of Seth H. Russell, that the Town approve the Regulations as printed in the Annual Town Report, adopted by the Board of Cemetery Commissioners on January 24, 1929, it was so voted.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of five persons, to consider the needs of the Fire Department with regard to Engine House No. 2, which is badly in need of repairs and that the committee shall make a report to the next annual town meeting with its recommendations, or what action it will take thereon.

Moved by G. S. Harvey, that the town vote to appoint a committee of five to carry out the purposes of Article 36, Nelson B. Todd moved as an amendment that the Town vote to instruct the moderator to appoint a committee of five, that this committee be instructed to consider the needs of the Fire Department and report the results of their findings with their recommendations, at the next annual town meeting. The motion as amended was carried. The committee appointed follows, Franklin W. Freeman, Charles M. McCarthy, Clarence A. Studley, Daniel M. Killoran, William W. Moxham.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the repair of and painting Chemical House No. 1.

Recommended \$500.00.

Walter N. Ober made a motion that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to make necessary repairs on Chemical House No. 1.

Voted: On amendment by Ralph E. Cox that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 to make necessary repairs on Chemical House No. 1, the work to be done under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote, hereafter to elect a Moderator for a term of one year, at the same time and in the same manner as in the case of other town officers elected by official ballot.

Voted: On motion of G. S. Harvey, that the Town adopt the subject matter, as set forth in Article 38.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars, to be expended by the Town Planning Board, said sum to be taken out of the surplus moneys of the Town.

Recommend \$100.00.

Voted: On motion by Nelson B. Todd, that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be expended by the Town Planning Board, said sum to be taken out of the surplus moneys of the Town.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed from the Town of Wakefield, conveying to the Town of Lynnfield, a parcel of land in said Lynnfield, on the westerly side of Main St., at the boundary line of Wakefield and Lynnfield, being a part of the premises conveyed by Harriet Potter to the Town of Wakefield.

Voted: On motion by Franklin W. Freeman, that the Town vote to accept a deed from the Town of Wakefield, conveying to the Town of Lynnfield, a parcel of land in said Lynnfield on the westerly side of Main St., at the boundary line of Wakefield and Lynnfield, being a part of the premises conveyed by Harriet Potter to the Town of Wakefield.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to remodel and enlarge the storage shed at the rear of the Town Hall.

Recommend \$1,200.00.

Voted: On motion by George S. Harvey, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 to remodel and enlarge the storage sheds at the rear of the Town Hall, the work to be done under the direction of the Selectmen, an amendment by F. W. Freeman that the money be taken from the highway appropriation being lost.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 for additional street light on Salem St., near Fairview Avenue.

Recommend \$13.50.

Motion by R. E. Cox, that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13.50 for an additional street light on Salem St., near Fairview Ave., was amended by Peter J. Walsh, that the light be located near the home of William Lewis, and the motion as amended was carried.

All articles on the warrant having been acted upon, the meeting was dissolved at 11.15 p. m.

FREDERICK I. WILKINS,
Town Clerk.

APPROPRIATIONS OF MEETING OF MARCH 11TH, TO BE RAISED
IN THE TAX LEVY OF THE CURRENT YEAR:

| | | |
|-------------|---|-----------|
| Article 7. | Memorial Day | \$ 200.00 |
| Article 8. | Schools | 38,345.00 |
| Article 9. | Highways | 13,000.00 |
| Article 10. | General Government | 7,200.00 |
| Article 11. | Police \$4,750, Sealer of Weights and Measures \$150.00, Inspection of Animals \$75.00, Inspection of Milk and Sanitation \$75.00 | 5,050.00 |
| Article 12. | Department of Charities | 1,500.00 |
| Article 14. | Street Lighting | 3,567.00 |
| Article 15. | Fire Department..... | 4,100.00 |
| Article 16. | Hydrants | 1,125.00 |
| Article 17. | Interest | 2,700.00 |
| Article 18. | Maturing Notes | 5,226.06 |
| Article 19. | State Aid | 96.00 |
| Article 20. | Moth Department | 1,354.57 |
| Article 21. | Essex Sanitarium | 731.46 |
| Article 22. | Cemeteries | 800.00 |
| Article 23. | Libraries | 900.00 |
| Article 24. | Branch Library Repairs | 350.00 |
| Article 25. | Parks | 600.00 |
| Article 26. | Private Moth Work | 700.00 |
| Article 27. | Removing Bushes | 500.00 |
| Article 28. | Tree Warden | 400.00 |
| Article 29. | Satin Moth | 25.00 |
| Article 30. | Street Light, Howard Ave. | 13.50 |
| Article 43. | Street Light, Salem St. | 13.50 |
| Article 32. | Hall Seats | 375.00 |
| Article 34. | Town Survey | 500.00 |
| Article 37. | Repairs on Chemical House No. 1 | 150.00 |
| Article 39. | Planning Board | 100.00 |
| Article 42. | Storage Shed | 1,200.00 |
| Article 31. | Main Street Construction (\$10,000.00)..... | 2,000.00 |

Total for tax levy\$ 92,822.09

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|-------------|---|----------|
| Article 18. | Appropriated from Sanitarium Fund for maturing notes | 1,773.94 |
| Article 13. | Appropriated from Overlay Reserve Fund and transferred to Reserve Fund | 1,500.00 |
| Article 31. | Amount bonded on Main Street Construction.... | 8,030.00 |

\$104,095.03

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING HELD NOVEMBER 15, 1929

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 8.05 o'clock p. m. and the warrant and return of the Constable was read.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting. Joseph F. Smith was nominated for Moderator, and as there was but one nominee, on motion by Nelson B. Todd, it was voted to instruct the Town Clerk to cast one ballot for the nominee and the instructions being carried out, Joseph F. Smith was declared elected.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-Law:

No person shall act as a collector of, dealer in or keeper of a shop for the purchase, sale or barter of junk, old metals or second-hand articles, in the Town of Lynnfield, without first obtaining a license from the Selectmen.

Motion was made by John Ward that the Town adopt the following By-Law:

No person shall act as a collector of, dealer in or keeper of a shop, for the purchase, sale or barter of junk, old metals or second-hand articles, in the Town of Lynnfield, without first obtaining a license from the Selectmen, and it was so voted.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to install a signal light at the junction of Salem Street and Newburyport Turnpike, in conjunction with the Department of Public Works, and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose, or what action it will take thereon.

Motion made by C. H. Russell that the Town appropriate \$150.00 from the Overlay Reserve Fund, to defray the Town's share of expense for the balance of the year, in connection with the installation of the signal lights at the junction of Salem Street and Broadway, was amended by N. B. Todd, that the Town appropriate \$125.00 from the Overlay Reserve Fund for said purpose, and the amendment received a unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for highway purposes or what action it will take thereon.

Motion by Minot H. Carter that the Town appropriate \$300.00 from the Overlay Reserve Fund for highway purposes, was carried.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to adopt a by-law dividing the Town into districts or zones and regulating the use and construction of buildings, structures and premises, as shown and set forth in the report and accompanying plan of the Planning Board, or what action it will take thereon.

After explaining the proposed Zoning By-Law in detail, Nelson B. Todd offered a motion that the Town adopt the by-law as recommended by the Planning Board.

R. O. Fraser offered an amendment, that the business district shown on the Zoning Map on the north side of Main Street, beginning at the division line between land of John Hewes and land of Dexter F. Parker, and extending west to Beaver Avenue, shall be stricken out and the district shall be residential, and the amendment was voted unanimously.

Daniel H. Killoran moved an amendment that the business district shown on the Zoning Map on the east side of Broadway, running from Lynnfield Square south, shall continue in a southerly direction, and in the same width to a point substantially opposite Brook Drive, at the division line between the land of McNamara and land of Olcher.

Peter J. Walsh moved that each amendment be acted upon in the order offered, and it was so voted.

Frank C. Newhall offered an amendment to the amendment of D. H. Killoran, that the business district on the east side of Broadway be extended to the land owned by the City of Lynn.

The result of the vote being doubted, the moderator appointed C. H. Russell, W. H. Copeland and G. W. Peavey as tellers, and the vote was then taken which was a tie, and the vote was again taken, 95 voting in the affirmative and 83 in the negative, and the amendment was carried.

A motion by F. W. Freeman, that the meeting be adjourned, was lost.

Peter J. Walsh's motion that the lot of land on the westerly side of Broadway, owned by Frank C. Newhall, be included in the business district, was lost.

An amendment was offered by Nelson B. Todd, that Section 2, a5 be amended by inserting the word "riding", so as to read, "Country Clubs, including golf, riding and tennis clubs; private clubs not conducted as a business," was accepted.

An amendment offered by Peter J. Walsh, that Section 2, a7 be amended by inserting the words, "or renting," so as to read "Taking of boarders, or the leasing or renting of rooms by a resident family" was accepted by Mr. Todd.

An amendment offered by W. H. Moxham, that Section 2, b, be amended by striking out the word "twenty" and inserting the words "twenty-five", so as to read, "within twenty-five feet of the street boundary line," was accepted by Mr. Todd.

Voted: On motion by Nelson B. Todd, that the Zoning By-Law as amended be adopted.

Voted: On motion by Nelson B. Todd, that the action taken on Article 5 be not reconsidered.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize any Town Board to appoint any member thereof to another town office or position for the term provided by law, if any, otherwise, for a term not exceed-

ing one year, at such salary, if any, as may hereafter be appropriated by the Town.

Voted: On motion by Nelson B. Todd, that the Town authorize any Town Board, to appoint any member thereof to another town office or position, for the term provided by law, if any, otherwise, for a term not exceeding one year, at such salary, if any, as may be hereafter appropriated by the Town.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to revise the salaries of the town officers, or what action it will take thereon.

Voted: On motion by Peter J. Walsh, that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator, to revise the salaries of the town officers, and report what action they will recommend. The Moderator appointed Lewis F. Allen, Mary F. Bowen and Louis B. Tuck.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for indebtedness incurred at this meeting and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930. Motion made by Carl H. Russell to indefinitely postpone action on article 8, was carried.

The meeting was dissolved at 11.30 o'clock.

FREDERICK I. WILKINS,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS

RECORD OF BIRTHS IN 1929

Any errors or omissions noted should be reported promptly to the Town Clerk

| DATE | NAME OF CHILD | NAME OF PARENTS |
|----------|----------------------------|---|
| Jan. 9 | Jean Pettipas | William P. and Laura (Chaffee) |
| Feb. 10 | Cary Francis Simpson | George David and Catherine R. (McCormack) |
| Mar. 13 | Patricia Adell Newhall | Robert and Bernice (Richards) |
| Apr. 20 | Richard Walter Wilkinson | Walter Edward, Jr. and Leslie (Payzant) |
| Apr. 30 | Janet Audrey Daly | Leonard Marshall and Mabel (Bangs) |
| May 2 | Edward Erny Tanneberger | Edward and Edith (Erny) |
| May 11 | Elinor Ruth Averell | Edward S. and Leah (Wright) |
| May 31 | Howard Christy Daly | Raymond Christy and Dorothea Annette (Shay) |
| June 12 | Mary Jane Keefe | Robert M. and Stella M. (Beaudry) |
| June 15 | Robert William Cox | Moulton and Helene (Fitts) |
| June 30 | Harry Walter Higgins | Harry W. and Katherine (Strong) |
| July 7 | Ruth Elinor Smith | Charles W. and Evelyn (Delamater) |
| July 17 | Eleanor May Cheever | Carl I. and Mary Rose (McHugh) |
| Sept. 20 | Milton Arpiarian | Edward R. and Dorothy (Berberian) |
| Oct. 6 | Robert Elwell Worthen | Donald E. and Muriel Florence (Elwell) |
| Oct. 10 | Constance Pauline White | Everett W. and Winnifred E. (Bezanson) |
| Oct. 18 | Stillbirth | |
| Oct. 19 | Allen Leroy Sanford | Alfred and Ethel G. (Eaton) |
| Nov. 19 | John Raymond Chadwick, Jr. | John R. and Ruth (Utley) |
| Dec. 10 | Mary Agnes Coughlan | Thomas S. and Eily M. (Kinsella) |
| Dec. 30 | Winifred Margaret Preston | Clarence Merrill and Margaret (Urquhart) |

RECORD OF MARRIAGES IN 1929

Any errors or omissions noted in these records should be reported promptly to the Town Clerk

| Date | Place of Marriage | Name of Groom and Bride | Residence |
|---------|-------------------|---|-------------------------|
| Feb. 22 | Cliftondale | Harold M. Varney Ruth Ina Moxie | Lynn Lynnfield |
| Mar. 31 | Wakefield | Wilfred J. Doucette Emma M. Doucette | Lynn Lynnfield |
| July 7 | Lynnfield | Charles Everett Pearson Nella Davidson Parker | Lynnfield Lynnfield |
| July 20 | Lynnfield | John P. R. Lammers Ella Carroll Fullerton | Lynnfield Everett |
| Aug. 7 | Peabody | Harry Allen Pratt Wilhelmina Semas | Lynnfield Peabody |
| Oct. 12 | Boston | Henry Gilbert Bowen Frances Irene Sheridan | Lynnfield Dorchester |
| Nov. 12 | Malden | Benjamin Gould Cox Ann Elizabeth George | Lynnfield Malden |
| Nov. 28 | Boston | John Andrew Gallagher, Jr. Irene Harriette Overlan | Boston Lynnfield |
| Dec. 28 | Charlestown | Alfred Nicholas Albertson Eva Martha Bangs | Lynnfield Lynnfield |

RECORD OF DEATHS IN 1929

Any errors or omissions noted, should be reported promptly to the Town Clerk

| Date | Name of Deceased | Years | Months | Days |
|----------|----------------------------|-------|--------|------|
| Jan. 1 | Mary L. Lynch | 63 | — | — |
| Jan. 4 | Oscar E. Phillips | 54 | 2 | 4 |
| Jan. 21 | Mary Ellen Moriarty | 49 | — | — |
| Jan. 26 | Annie C. Robbins | 68 | 6 | 9 |
| Feb. 6 | Charles Herbert Walker | 45 | 3 | 24 |
| Mar. 5 | Chester Allen Guppey | 43 | 10 | 5 |
| Mar. 18 | Dorris May Hendryx | 7 | 11 | 7 |
| Apr. 29 | Frank T. Moore | 64 | 11 | 18 |
| May 9 | Grafton G. Evitts | 31 | 10 | 19 |
| May 9 | Lucius Orestus Newhall | 75 | 3 | 29 |
| May 13 | Hyman Nathan Gersinovitich | 62 | — | — |
| May 14 | Nancy Adelaide Furbush | 79 | 3 | 25 |
| May 23 | Emma B. Guilford | 61 | — | — |
| June 13 | Nellie Chase Stevens | 66 | 10 | 28 |
| July 2 | Lillian E. Wiley | 68 | 1 | 29 |
| Aug. 19 | Edward R. Perry | 83 | 0 | 16 |
| Sept. 12 | James W. M. Harvey | 61 | 1 | 24 |
| Sept. 29 | George A. Daniel | 69 | 0 | 3 |
| Oct. 1 | Martha Elizabeth Keefe | 10 | — | — |
| Oct. 18 | Stillborn | | | |
| Oct. 28 | Elizabeth Pyne Riggs | 64 | 0 | 3 |
| Oct. 28 | Horace G. Pratt | 18 | 3 | 15 |
| Nov. 4 | Edward Horace Spinney | 87 | 5 | 16 |
| Nov. 22 | Newell O. Whitney | 40 | 9 | 13 |
| Nov. 24 | Frank Bertram Taylor | 78 | 4 | 1 |
| Nov. 24 | John Raymond Chadwick, Jr. | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Dec. 7 | Mary S. Goddard | 80 | 6 | 29 |

PERAMBULATION OF TOWN LINE, DEC. 31, 1928
BETWEEN LYNNFIELD AND WAKEFIELD FOR THE YEAR 1923

We, the Selectmen of Lynnfield and Wakefield, pursuant to a notice duly given by the Selectmen of Lynnfield, met on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1928, at a stone monument at the intersection of the town lines of Reading, Wakefield and Lynnfield, marked L. S. R. R., situated in woodland near Rifle Range, 11 feet northerly from the center of a wood road, and from thence we proceeded in a southerly direction to corner 4, a rough granite monument unmarked, situated in woodland 35 feet north of an open meadow and about 775 feet southwestly from the junction of Bay State Road and Main St. in Lynnfield, and thence in a southerly direction to witness mark at corner 3, which is a rough granite monument approximately 4 feet high and marked L-W, and W. M. 1922, and situated about ten feet westerly from true corner, which is a one inch iron pin set into the top of a boulder situated in the bed of the Saugus River about 470 feet westerly from its intersection with Main Street, Lynnfield, or Vernon Street, Wakefield, from thence in an easterly direction along the Saugus River to the witness mark to Corner 2, a cedar post with an iron ring encircling it and unmarked, situated in open meadow on the northerly bank of the Saugus River, 28 feet easterly from the center of the Boston and Main Railroad bridge, from thence in an easterly direction to corner, an unmarked point in the middle of Saugus River and about 12 feet distant from the witness mark which is two cedar posts about one foot high, each of which is encircled by an iron ring and set on bank of said Saugus River, from thence in a southerly direction along the Saugus River to the intersection of the Saugus, Wakefield, and Lynnfield town lines, an unmarked point in the middle of Saugus River and about 20 feet west from the witness mark, a granite monument marked L. W. 1901—W. M., situated in cultivated land eight feet from the easterly bank of the river. The corner at L.—W. 3 has been relocated by the placing of a witness mark as stated. We found all the monuments described above in good condition and apparently untouched since last inspection.

THOMAS F. KENNEY,
NED C. LOUD,

Selectmen of Wakefield.

FRANK C. NEWHALL,
THOMAS E. COX, Substitute,
Selectmen of Lynnfield.

March 29, 1929

A true copy attest,

FREDERICK I. WILKINS,
Town Clerk of Lynnfield.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

C. C. D. 1570

Essex ss.

COURT OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

April term, A. D. 1929, held by adjournment at Salem, Whereas the County Commissioners of the County of Essex, on petition of Frank C. Newhall and others, inhabitants of the town of Lynnfield, did at the present term to wit: on the 24th day of May A. D. 1929, issue a decree altering the highway, known as Main Street, in the town of Lynnfield, and did award certain damages to be paid to various persons out of the treasury of the town of Lynnfield, including the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to be paid to John Boudreau;

And whereas it now appears that just previous to the issuing of the decree as above, the property in question included within the new lines of the highway was sold to Frank H. Cossaboom and Mary C. Cossaboom as appears by deed recorded May 24, 1929, at 9.37 a. m., Book 2807, Page 421, in Essex South Registry of Deeds;

Now therefore it is hereby ordered that the decree of the County Commissioners issued as above be and hereby is amended by striking out in the list of awards the words, To John Boudreau, Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) and inserting in place thereof the following:

To Frank H. Cossaboom and Mary C. Cossaboom, Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) so that the paragraph relating to damages shall read as follows:

And we have determined and awarded the damages sustained by persons in their property by reason of said alteration as follows, viz.

To John Shahbas, Fifty Dollars, (\$50.00).

To Frank H. Cossaboom and Mary C. Cossaboom, Fifty Dollars, (\$50.00).

To Mrs. Mary L. Smith, Fifty Dollars, (\$50.00).

To all other owners, nothing.

to be paid to them out of the Treasury of the town of Lynnfield when the land is entered upon and possession taken for the purpose of constructing said highway.

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 18th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

ROBERT H. MITCHELL,
RAYMOND H. TREFRY,
FREDERICK H. BUTLER,
County Commissioners.

A true copy
Attest

E. PHILLIP LITTLEFIELD,
Deputy Asst. Clerk.

ZONING BY-LAWS OF THE TOWN OF LYNNFIELD

A by-law to promote the health, safety, convenience and welfare of the inhabitants, to lessen the danger from fire, to improve the town, and to protect property by dividing the town into districts and regulating the use and construction of buildings, structures and premises.

SECTION 1. DISTRICTS

- (a) The Town of Lynnfield is hereby divided into three classes of districts, designated as:

1. Residence districts,
2. Business districts,
3. Industrial districts,

and which are as shown on the map accompanying this by-law, entitled "Zoning Map of the Town of Lynnfield, Massachusetts, 1928, Revised October, 1929," and hereby made a part of this by-law.

(b) The district boundaries shall be as shown on the zoning map. Where a boundary is indicated upon a street, the line shall be the center line of the street. Where a boundary is indicated upon a right-of-way of the Boston & Maine Railroad, the line shall be the center line of said right-of-way.

(c) Where a boundary line divides a lot, the regulations for the less restricted portion of such lot may extend thirty feet into the more restricted portion, if the lot has street frontage in the less restricted district; otherwise, there shall be no extension.

SECTION 2. RESIDENCE DISTRICTS

In a residence district—

- (a) No building, structure, or premises shall be erected, altered or used for any other purpose than:
1. One-family or two-family detached houses;
 2. Churches, schools, public libraries, parish houses, hospitals and similar institutions;
 3. Municipal buildings, public parks, playgrounds, and similar public buildings and purposes;
 4. Farms, premises for the keeping and sale of poultry and eggs, greenhouses, nurseries, and truck gardens;
 5. Country clubs, including golf, riding and tennis clubs; private clubs not conducted as a business;
 6. Public service and other passenger stations, including telephone exchanges;
 7. Taking of boarders or the leasing or renting of rooms by a resident family;
 8. The office of a professional person located in the house in which he resides:

9. Customary home occupations, such as millinery, dressmaking, hairdressing or manicuring carried on in the house by a person resident therein;
10. For such other purposes as are customarily incidental to
 - any of the foregoing, including private garage and private stable.

(b) No building shall have any wall, including a foundation wall, within twenty-five feet of a street boundary line. No dwelling shall have any wall, including a foundation wall, within ten feet of any side boundary line or within fifteen feet of any rear boundary line. No part of, or projection from, any dwelling, except steps, approaches, entrances or the like, shall be within fifteen feet of the street boundary line or within eight feet of any side boundary line or within twelve feet of any rear boundary line. Buildings used in no part for dwelling purposes may be erected or placed within ten feet from a side boundary line and within fifteen feet from a rear boundary line, but no part of, or projection from, any said building shall be within five feet from a side boundary line or five feet from a rear boundary line.

(c) A building shall not occupy more than twenty-five per cent. of the lot area, except that buildings permitted by 2, 3, and 6 of paragraph (a) of this section may occupy seventy-five per cent. of the lot area.

(d) No lot on which a building is to be erected or altered for use as a dwelling shall be less than five thousand square feet in area.

(e) The following signs may be erected or affixed: Real estate signs advertising the sale or rental of only the premises on which they are located; public or private bulletin boards in connection with churches, parks, playgrounds, educational institutions, municipal buildings or charitable institutions; and signs advertising the profession or occupation carried on on the premises. No sign advertising a profession or occupation shall exceed six inches in width and twenty-four inches in length, and no other sign or bulletin board shall exceed nine square feet in area.

SECTION 3. BUSINESS DISTRICTS

In a business district—

- (a) No building, structure or premises shall be erected, altered or used for any other purpose than:
 1. Any use permitted in a residence district,
 2. Office or bank,
 3. Place of amusement or assembly,
 4. Garage or filling station,
 5. Any other wholesale or retail business or service not involving manufacturing and any business involving light manufacturing, the products of which are to be sold principally at retail on the premises by the manufacturer to

the customer; provided, however, that no business or manufacturing under this subdivision shall be permitted which by reason of emission of odor, dust, fumes, smoke or noise, or from any other cause, is injurious, noxious or offensive to the neighborhood.

(b) No part of, or projection from, any building or structure, except approaching steps, shall be within ten feet of the street boundary line or within five feet of any side boundary line or within five feet of any rear boundary line.

(c) A building shall not cover more than seventy-five per cent. of the lot area.

SECTION 4. INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS

In an industrial district a building, structure or premises may be erected, altered or used for any purpose permitted in a residence district or in a business district or for manufacturing, except that no building or premises shall be erected, altered or used for any trade, industry or use which by reason of the emission of odor, fumes, dust, smoke, vibration or noise, or from any other cause is injurious, noxious, offensive or otherwise detrimental to a neighborhood or hazardous to the community on account of fire or explosion or any other cause.

Where an industrial district joins a residential district no motive power shall be permitted within one hundred and fifty feet from the boundary line between the residence district and the industrial district, other than electricity or other unobjectionable motive power, and the manufacturing process shall be hand labor or quiet machinery so as to be free from neighborhood disturbing agencies.

SECTION 5. OTHER USES

(a) Nothing contained in this by-law shall prevent the continued use of a building, structure or premises for the lawful purpose for which it is used at the time when this by-law takes effect, provided such use was then lawful, but subject to the provisions of paragraph (e) of this section 5.

(b) Any building or structure within the provisions of paragraph (a) hereof may be structurally altered or the use of such building or structure changed to any other use not more detrimental to the character of the district in which it is located than is its present use.

(c) Any building or structure within the provisions of paragraph (a) hereof may be enlarged and as so enlarged may be used for any purpose permitted under paragraphs (a) and (b) hereof, but such enlargement shall not be more than twenty per cent. of the building's volume at the time this by-law takes effect, except that, with the consent of the Board of Appeals and the assent of two-thirds of the owners of property within one hundred and fifty feet in every direction, such building may be enlarged by fifty per cent. of such volume.

(d) In exceptional cases, where the proposed use not permitted by the restrictions applying to the district will supply a real need and will not be substantially injurious to the neighborhood, the Board of Appeals may, after hearing, of which public notice shall be given, grant special permits for the use desired, upon conditions and for such periods of not more than one year at a time as will seem desirable. This shall include temporary buildings or uses incidental to the development of a neighborhood, but in such cases the applicant shall file with the Town Clerk a bond, with adequate security, in such sum as may be required by the Board of Appeals, together with bill of sale to the town, effective in case the building is not removed prior to the expiration of the permit.

(e) In a residence district, when a building, structure or premises has been used for a purpose not permitted under the provisions of Section 2 and the use of such building, structure or premises has been or shall be discontinued for a period of one year, it shall not be re-established, and future use of said building, structure or premises shall be in conformity with this by-law.

SECTION 6. EXISTING BUILDINGS

(a) Nothing herein shall require any change in plans, construction or intended use of a building, structure or premises, either now lawfully under construction or for which an unexpired permit has heretofore been issued, and the lawful construction of which shall be completed according to such permit within one year from the date this by-law goes into effect.

(b) Nothing herein shall prevent the substantial restoration and continued use of a building damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty provided that such restoration shall be completed and use resumed within one year from the date of such fire or other casualty. The new or restored building may exceed in cubic contents the building damaged or destroyed, but within the limits and subject to the conditions set forth in Section 5 (c).

SECTION 7. ENFORCEMENT

(a) Except as otherwise provided, this by-law shall be enforced by the Building Inspector. He shall approve no applications of any kind or plans or specifications or intended use which are not in all respects in conformity with this by-law.

(b) No building erected, altered, or in any way changed as to construction or use, under a permit or otherwise, shall be occupied or used without an occupancy permit, signed by the Building Inspector, which permit shall not be issued until the building and its uses, and the uses incident thereto, comply in all respects with this by-law.

(c) If the Building Inspector shall refuse to issue a permit, the-



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WAKEFIELD

ZONING MAP OF THE TOWN OF LYNNFIELD MASSACHUSETTS

SCALE IN FEET
0 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900 1000

1928

REVISED OCTOBER 1929

LEGEND

- RESIDENTIAL
- BUSINESS
- INDUSTRY

ZONING COMMITTEE

ERNEST P. LANE
MARTHA Q. MANSFIELD
CARL A. RUSSELL
NELSON & TODD
H. LOUISE WORTHEN

COMPILED FROM OLD MAPS
AND ORIGINAL SURVEYS
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applicant may, by giving the Building Inspector a notice in writing within ten days from the date of refusal, appeal to the Board of Appeals, under the provisions of Section 27 and 27 (a) of Chapter 40 of the General Laws. The Board, after reasonable public notice, by posting or advertising, shall hold a public hearing on such appeal and shall record its decisions and reasons therefor. Any person aggrieved by the issuance of any permit by the Building Inspector or by any decision of the Building Inspector made under the provisions of this by-law may, by giving both the Building Inspector and the person applying for the permit, or the person in whose favor the decision has been made, notice in writing within ten days from the date of the issuance of the permit, or of the decision, appeal to the Board of Appeals, under the provisions of Section 27 and 27 (a) of Chapter 40 of the General Laws. The Board, after reasonable public notice by posting or advertising shall hold a public hearing on such appeal and shall record its decisions and reasons therefor.

(d) The Board of Appeals shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen and shall consist of five persons, three of whom shall be members of the Board of Selectmen, one shall be a member of the Town Planning Board, and one shall be appointed from the other citizens of the town. The first Board of Appeals shall be appointed by the Selectmen within fourteen days after the taking effect of these by-laws and thereafter the Board of Appeals shall be appointed by the Selectmen at their first meeting following the town election. The Selectmen shall, if possible, continue upon the Board of Appeals at least a majority of the members thereof.

(e) Any person who violates any provision of this by-law shall forfeit a sum not to exceed twenty dollars for each offense, which shall be recovered as provided by law and shall enure to the town.

SECTION 8. APPLICATION: VALIDITY

(a) This by-law shall not interfere with or annul any by-law, rule or regulation, or permit, except that, where this by-law imposes a greater restriction upon the use of buildings, structures or premises than is imposed by existing provisions of law or by-laws, this by-law shall control.

(b) The invalidity of any section or provision of this by-law shall not invalidate any other section or provision.

SECTION 9. AMENDMENTS

This by-law or any part thereof may be modified or repealed as provided by law at a town meeting duly called.

SECTION 10. USES INCIDENT TO PREMISES OR STRUCTURES

(a) Uses incident to the premises or structure, shall be within the boundaries of the premises to which they apply and shall be such as do

not alter the character of the premises on which they are located, or impair the neighborhood.

(b) Private garages for the occupancy of automobiles owned by the owners of the premises shall be permitted as incidental uses, but no repair work shall be carried on which shall be detrimental to the neighborhood, nor shall space in such garages be rented to others except to not more than two persons for the occupancy of private automobiles owned by them.

(c) A stall or stand for selling farm or garden products may be permitted as an incidental use in a residence district, but only for the sale of products raised or produced on the premises by the owner or lessee thereof, together with products raised or produced on other premises of such owner or lessee within the town limits; also, for the sale of beverages made by or for the owner or lessee from products grown upon such premises.

SECTION 11. FILLING STATIONS

Every filling station hereafter constructed (which shall include pumps hereafter installed) from which gasoline or oil is dispensed shall be located at least fifteen feet inside the street boundary line, and no filling shall be done except into cars standing on the property of the filling station.

SECTION 12. DEFINITIONS

In this by-law, the following terms shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:

- (a) **A family** is a number of individuals living and cooking together on the premises as a single housekeeping unit.
- (b) **A one-family house** is a detached dwelling intended and designed to be occupied by a single family.
- (c) **A two-family house** is a detached dwelling intended to be occupied by two families.
- (d) **A dwelling** is any building used in whole or in part as a habitation for one or more persons.
- (e) **An incidental use** is a use of a building or premises customarily pertaining thereto and located on the same lot with the building or premises to which it pertains.
- (f) **A lot** is a single tract of land held in identical ownership throughout and which is bounded by streets, ponds or waterways or by land of other owners.

This by-law shall take effect upon its acceptance by the Town, its approval by the Attorney General, and publication according to law.

Lynnfield, Mass., Dec. 31, 1929.

I, Frederick I. Wilkins, Town Clerk of the Town of Lynnfield, Massachusetts, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of zoning by-law adopted at a Special Town Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield, duly warned according to law and held at the Town Hall in Lynnfield, on Friday, November 15, 1929, at 8 o'clock in the evening, acting under Article 5 of the warrant calling said meeting.

I further certify that said by-law was duly published in the Lynn Daily Evening Item, December 6, 7 and 9, 1929.

FREDERICK I. WILKINS,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., November 30, 1929.

The foregoing by law and zoning map are hereby approved.

JOSEPH E. WARNER,
Attorney General.

A true copy,

Frederick I. Wilkins, Town Clerk of Lynnfield, Massachusetts.

BY-LAW REGARDING JUNK AND SECOND HAND ARTICLES IN
THE TOWN OF LYNNFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

No person shall act as a collector of, dealer in or keeper of a shop for the purchase, sale, or barter of junk, old metals, or second-hand articles in the Town of Lynnfield, without first obtaining a license from the Selectmen.

Lynnfield, Mass., Dec. 31, 1929.

I, Frederick I. Wilkins, Town Clerk of the Town of Lynnfield, Massachusetts, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a by-law adopted at a Special Town Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield, duly warned according to law and held at the Town Hall in Lynnfield, on Friday, November 15, 1929, at 8 o'clock in the evening acting under Article 2 of the warrant calling said meeting.

I further certify that said by-law was duly published in the Lynn Daily Evening Item, December 19, 20, and 21, 1929.

FREDERICK I. WILKINS,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., December 12, 1929.

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

JOSEPH E. WARNER,
Attorney General.

A true copy

Frederick I. Wilkins, Town Clerk of Lynnfield, Massachusetts.

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

The Planning Board submits its second annual report.

Following the rejection by the Town at the adjourned town meeting held on January 3, 1929, of zoning by-law and plan, the Planning Board gave consideration to the suggestions made at that meeting and again, in November, 1929, submitted at a special town meeting held on November 15, a new plan and by-law, together with the report accompanying same, which, prior to the meeting, was distributed to the voters of the Town.

At the meeting just referred to, amendments were made in the plan and by-law and the plan and by-law, as amended, were adopted by the meeting, were subsequently approved by the Attorney General of the Commonwealth, and, in accordance with the recommendation of the Attorney General, were published in the Lynn Daily Evening Item. The by-law became effective December 10, 1929.

As has heretofore been stated by members of the Board, it is the duty of the Board to give consideration to the future development of the Town and to suggest to the citizens of the Town possible plans for such development in order that they may be receiving the consideration of the citizens prior to the time when action is necessary. With this thought in mind, we believe that the Board during the coming year may well consider possible changes in streets and highways, seeking the elimination of numerous and dangerous curves. During this past year in the reconstruction of Main Street some progress has been made in this direction, for some of the curves have been taken out or widened, to the benefit of the highway. Also, the intersection of Main and Lowell Streets has been opened up by the taking or contributing of land at the several corners. As travel along these roads increases, the wisdom of this action by the selectmen will be more and more apparent.

At the last town meeting, a committee was appointed to study the needs of the Fire Department, not only as to equipment but also as to personnel and housing. This committee is, we understand, to make a report at the annual town meeting in March 1930. If the committee should report need for additional equipment or new housing to take the place of chemical house No. 2 and equipment therein the Planning Board for 1930 may well study the question of proper location for such a chemical house, and, indeed, they may do so with advantage to the Town even if the committee on Fire Department should consider it unnecessary to make any recommendation for new housing at this time. As the Fire Department increases, the time will arrive when either new houses or an additional house will be necessary in that part of the Town, and citizens, through the Planning Board, should be giving the

matter thought now. The same thing is true as to the equipment and housing for chemical company No. 1 at Lynnfield Center.

Another subject is that of the school houses. The school at Lawrence's Corner is considered, by probably a majority of the people whose children attend or have attended, as undesirable. Furthermore, it has in the past been crowded, and such a condition will occur in the more or less immediate future. Plans should be made for a new school house to take care of such pupils, either in that location or elsewhere.

The matter of high school accommodation, which was of immediate importance a year ago, has for the present been taken care of by an arrangement with the Town of Wakefield. This arrangement will probably continue for several years; nevertheless, it is undoubtedly the fact that within a comparatively short time it will be necessary for the Town to provide itself with its own high school accommodation. The location of such school to the best advantage of the entire town should be receiving consideration.

These are only a few of the matters which in the first instances are the duty of a Planning Board to study but they are, we believe, sufficient to indicate the desirability of such a Board as a part of the machinery of a town government, entirely irrespective of the question whether or not any recommendations they may make will be acceptable to a majority of the citizens. The members of the present Planning Board are well aware that they are merely five individual citizens of the Town of Lynnfield, and, to whoever may compose the Planning Board in the future, the same fact will be true, but we do believe that planning boards are desirable if they do no more than start their fellow citizens talking about, and therefore, considering various problems which should be thought about if a haphazard determination of important town questions is to be avoided.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST P. LANE,
MARTHA D. MANSFIELD, Secretary,
CARL H. RUSSELL,
NELSON B. TODD, Chairman,
H. LOUISE WORTHEN,

Planning Board.

December 31, 1929.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

Reports of the Librarians cover the activities of both Libraries for the year 1929.

The expenditure of the appropriation made at the last Annual Town Meeting has greatly improved the Branch Library and also added much to its appearance.

There is an increasing demand at both Libraries for new books and for which purpose funds are limited.

To the many friends who have given aid to the Libraries, both in the gift of books and in helpful suggestions, we extend our hearty thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES PAYZANT, Chairman,
Trustees of Public Library.

REPORT OF MAIN LIBRARY, 1929

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Number of book patrons | 226 |
| Number of books issued | 4,291 |
| Number of magazine patrons | 39 |
| Number of magazines loaned | 282 |
| Amount received in fines | \$26.65 |
| Number of books bought | 68 |
| Number of magazines subscribed for | 7 |
| Received in gifts from: | |
| Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bonney | 120 books |
| Miss Jennie Spalding | 4 books |
| State | 8 books |
| Stanley Heath | 38 books |
| Mrs. Pamela D. Hasty | 1 book |
| Mrs. E. J. Brown | 1 book |
| Centre Club | 5 books |
| Miss Hazel M. Phillips | 18 books |
| Miss Whittredge | 1 book |

Total number of books given

196

Magazines have been given by:

| | |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| Stanley Heath | C. O. Blood |
| Carl H. Russell | Mrs. J. S. Bonney |
| W. I. Olmsted | Mrs. F. W. Freeman |

Two pictures have been given by Mrs. N. B. Todd.

Two sets of pictures have been loaned the library by the Woman's Educational Association of Massachusetts. One set was on Cathedrals

of Europe and the other on Yellowstone Park. They have both been very instructive.

Respectfully submitted,
ELIZABETH W. GREEN, Librarian.

REPORT OF BRANCH LIBRARY, 1929

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|------------------------------------|----------|
| Number of book patrons | 327 |
| Number of books loaned | 6,214 |
| Number of magazine patrons | 128 |
| Number of magazines loaned | 681 |
| Number of books bought by Town | 125 |
| Number of magazines subscribed for | 9 |
| Amount received in fines | \$38.70 |
| Received in gifts: | |
| Mrs. Arthur Bryant | 17 books |
| Mrs. Oscar Swain | 1 book |
| Mrs. Albert Newhall | 6 books |
| Mrs. Caroline Engler, Lynn | 9 books |
| Mr. and Mrs. J. Caunt | 15 books |
| Mrs. A. D. Macgregor | 1 book |
| Marcia Carter | 11 books |
| Ruth Abbott | 1 book |
| Mrs. George Cornet | 4 books |
| | — |
| Total | 65 books |
| Magazines received from: | |
| Mrs. Wm. Abbott | |
| Mrs. George Dewing | |

Respectfully submitted,
GERTRUDE A. CHIPMAN, Branch Librarian.

REPORT OF REPAIRS TO BRANCH LIBRARY

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

At the Town Meeting held March 11, 1929, the Town made an appropriation to raise the Branch Library and install a wall thereunder. This has been accomplished by the setting of an 18 inch concrete trench wall and placing two tiers of concrete blocks thereon, which resulted in raising the building 18 inches above its former level. In doing this work it was found that the front sill was almost entirely rotted throughout its entire length of thirty feet, and had to be replaced. Concrete steps were also installed.

This building should now be free of repairs for several years, as it is in sound condition and is set well above the ground level.

Due to the fact that the library is open but one day a week, upon

the solicitation of the Superintendent of Schools, it was deemed advisable to transfer to the custody of the school such books as are on the school reading list. This will be done from time to time as the reading list is revised.

This opportunity is taken to thank friends of the Branch Library for the gifts of books and magazines listed in the Librarian's report.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. MAYNARD, Library Trustee.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

The appropriation for Memorial Day, May 30, 1929 was used as follows:

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation | | \$200.00 |
| Decorating 116 graves semi-annually | \$ 50.00 | |
| Parade Music | 100.00 | |
| Dinner Expense | 40.00 | |
| Services in Town Hall | 10.00 | |
| | | |
| | \$200.00 | \$200.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

T. HAWLEY, Treasurer of Committee.

For Lynnfield Post No. 131, American Legion.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

At the last annual town meeting an appropriation of \$400.00 was made to take care of shade trees. This amount was used to take down dead trees, and to trim up trees where there were dead and dangerous limbs. There is a great amount of trimming of dead limbs to be done yet.

We finished taking down the chestnut trees on Chestnut Street, which was a very slow and dangerous job. There is also a lot of cavity work which should be attended to, such as broken ends, trunk cavities and injuries caused by being hit by trucks, etc.

I hope the appropriation will be much larger so that more work can be done along these lines.

I also hope the townspeople will continue to have the roadsides mowed, but most earnestly trust they will see that the Moth Department gets the work. Considering the limited amount of money provided for the tree service it surely seems unfair to give this work to another department..

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN H. TWISS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

We would report that the regular work of caring for the five cemeteries of the town and keeping them in good condition, has been continued during the last season.

The long avenue on the Southern side of the Forest Hill Cemetery has had the soil removed and the surface graveled, so that this avenue is now completed. This is a great improvement, as this avenue extends into what was formerly a rough and unimproved section.

The work on this avenue and the work that is being carried on at Willow Cemetery is in the line of permanent improvements and have added greatly to the appearance of both cemeteries.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH H. RUSSELL, Chairman,
Cemetery Commissioners.

Annual Report

of the

School Committee

and

Superintendent of Schools

TOWN OF LYNNFIELD

MASSACHUSETTS

Year Ending December 31, 1929

SCHOOL COMMITTEE 1929

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| Louis B. Tuck, Chairman | | Term expires 1932 |
| Martha D. Mansfield, Secretary | | Term expires 1930 |
| Clarence A. Studley | | Term expires 1931 |

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

The year just passed has been one of normal progress in the school curriculum, and we are pleased to report a continuity of our teaching staff with one exception.

There have been ten meetings of the School Committee in conjunction with the Superintendent during the past year. The entire Committee was present at the District meeting, which was held here at Lynnfield Centre for the first time in its history.

Preservation of life has become a new task of the schools. The alarming increase in accidents and fatalities, due to dangers incident to present day conditions has become a matter of local, state, and national concern. Everywhere measures to promote safety of life are being adopted. In accordance with this widespread feeling the Lynnfield Branch of Governor Allen's, Street and Highway Safety Committee was formed. Among the first of its acts was to extend the Committee to include a member of the School Committee, and to permit the Superintendent of Schools to attend its meetings. Your School Committee for the past number of years carried on a Safety First Campaign in the schools with such facilities as it had at its disposal, and we are pleased to have an organization better equipped to do this work, take up the task.

It is a distinct loss to the town and State whenever a child's life is lost through an accident that might have been prevented, had the necessary precautionary ideas been inculcated in the child's mind. This work is under way and will become more effective as it becomes better organized.

In the report of a survey made last year by the Educational Department of the Commonwealth, the lighting facilities at the South school were severely criticised, and it was shown that the pupils worked with less than the normal amount of light prescribed for a school room. In order to remedy this undesirable condition, and provide at least normal lighting facilities, we have caused an article to be inserted in the town warrant calling for an expenditure of \$1,200, to install fourteen additional windows, and close four windows. This is necessary to eliminate a cross lighting effect which should be avoided. As this work will mar the outer surface of the building, we have included painting the outside surface of the building with one coat. While the Committee are all in accord with making this change, we thought it a matter to be decided by the citizens of the town.

We have also caused an article to be inserted in the Warrant calling for the elimination of the brook running through the rear of the Centre School grounds. Provided the Town continues the program of rebuilding Main Street, it appears to us that the dirt to be removed could be used, at practically no extra expense for filling in the course of the

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE 45

brook. The amount requested in the article for this is to buy and install the piping for the water to run through. On account of the fact that the Selectmen will have the making of the contract for Main Street and the supervision of the work, we feel they are the logical ones to undertake this.

The exercises for Memorial Day have for the past few years been conducted under the direct supervision of the School Committee. These exercises were inaugurated by the Grand Army of the Republic and have been conducted by them for the past fifty years, and have always been an inspiration to the pupils, but of late years it has been a great difficulty for the few surviving members to even present themselves on this occasion. The time is not far distant when any Committee, however zealous, will not be able to provide a G. A. R. veteran to speak to the children on Memorial Day, and in the realization of this possibility we are of the opinion that the Memorial Day Exercises should be conducted by an organization equipped to do it properly. We have an American Legion Post in our Town, prepared to carry on this work, and we know they will be glad to assume this duty, as they have every duty that has come to them in the past.

The Memorial Day Exercises are a part of the Americanization work in the schools and will be continued.

The Committee gratefully thanks Comrade Trull of Stoneham and Comrade Moulton of Lynnfield for their presence and the part they took in our exercises last year.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS B. TUCK,
Chairman School Committee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

| | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 38,345.00 | |
| Expenditures | 37,504.18 | |
| Unexpended balance | \$ 840.82 | |
| School Committee | | |
| Clerk | \$ 100.00 | |
| Other expenses | 12.58 | \$ 112.58 |
| Superintendent | | |
| Salary | \$ 1,050.00 | |
| Clerk | 201.43 | |
| Other expenses | 115.88 | \$ 1,367.33 |
| Supervisors | | 635.00 |
| Teachers' Salaries | | |
| Ona K. Ridley | \$ 1,770.00 | |
| Bernice A. Munroe | 1,490.00 | |
| Laila D. Pollard | 1,590.00 | |

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|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Emma Williams | 1,180.00 | | |
| Althea Robinson | 1,670.00 | | |
| Blanche Hallowell | 1,470.00 | | |
| Mildreth Parkhurst | 1,240.00 | | |
| Katherine Higgins | 265.00 | | |
| Kathleen Fraser | 366.00 | | |
| Mrs. Raymond Chadwick | 480.00 | | |
| Ruth Ober | 75.00 | | |
| Mrs. Nellie G. Treamer | 7.50 | | |
| Raymond Chadwick | 36.00 | | |
| Raymond Dower | 20.00 | | |
| Ida Lucas | 10.00 | \$ | 11,669.50 |
| Janitors | | | |
| Luther Hastings | \$ 1,210.00 | | |
| William Griffin | 1,015.00 | \$ | 2,225.00 |
| Text books and supplies | | | 1,763.39 |
| Fuel | | | 508.07 |
| Miscellaneous operating expenses | | | 390.96 |
| Repairs | | | 255.41 |
| Health | | | |
| Dr. C. E. Montague | \$ 30.00 | | |
| Dr. F. W. Freeman | 70.00 | | |
| Florence Stobbart | 385.00 | | |
| Supplies | 9.76 | \$ | 504.76 |
| Transportation | | | |
| | Grammar | High | |
| Boston & Maine | \$ 750.00 | \$ 1,754.00 | |
| Lynnfield Community Inc. | 442.00 | 2,140.00 | |
| Essex Agricultural | | 27.60 | |
| | <u>\$ 1,192.00</u> | <u>\$ 3,921.60</u> | <u>\$ 5,113.60</u> |
| Tuition | | | 11,556.29 |
| Miscellaneous (matrons, census, etc.) | | | 336.50 |
| New Equipment | | | 507.51 |
| Insurance | | | 292.65 |
| New Grounds | | | 265.60 |

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee,

Dear Madam and Sirs:

I herewith submit my seventh annual report as superintendent of your schools.

ENROLLMENT

At the close of schools in December, 1929, there were 236 pupils enrolled in the grades with 87 tuition pupils of Lynnfield enrolled at the Wakefield High School and Lynn Schools.

This shows a decrease of eight pupils in grades, but an increase of twelve in high school, during the last year.

There is every indication to believe that we may expect a slight increase in enrollment from year to year. The classrooms, with but one or two exceptions, will accommodate a few more pupils.

TEACHERS

The success of a system is largely dependent upon the corps of teachers employed. They must be well trained, professionally interested and paid a salary which will induce them to give a long period of service where their work assures them of successive re-elections. It has been necessary to fill but one vacancy in our system during the past year. Our school system as a whole has greatly profited through the retention of a most satisfactory corps of teachers.

READING

The Aldine System of Reading has been used several years as the basal system.

Doubtless at the time this system was adopted it was one of the most up-to-date. Results obtained throughout the use of this system have been most satisfactory, but students of educational method and material are ever finding new methods and material to supplement and replace the old.

Our teachers, who have been taking courses, realized that the old system did not provide the latest methods and materials to accomplish the desired results. They were provided with sets of readers by several publishers who also sent demonstrators to emphasize the content and methods as brought out in the particular basal system.

After due consideration the Child-Story Reading System was chosen as the one which most nearly filled the requirements for content, methods and material.

All materials, including supplementary, have been purchased for carrying out the work as outlined through the fourth grade. The methods Demonstrator, representing the publishers of the texts, has already met with teachers of grades one and two for two conferences and will doubtless hold another conference during the year.

Teachers are most enthusiastic about results in reading thus far obtained with those pupils who entered school in September. We have every reason to believe that no mistake has been made in adopting this as our basal system.

PENMANSHIP

It has been my opinion, as well as that of many others including the teachers, that we were not obtaining satisfactory results in penmanship. Teachers complained that the system used did not have methods sufficient to guide them, that there were no standards for their guidance and as a consequence they did not feel that they were obtaining even reasonably satisfactory results.

After an exhaustive study of five different systems of penmanship it seemed that the Zaner-Bloser System of Correlated Handwriting would most satisfactorily meet our needs for the following reasons:

1. Because it furnishes a series of carefully graded writing books for the pupils together with a corresponding series of manuals for teachers.
2. Because these books encourage free flowing arm movement which can be obtained by every pupil.
3. Because there are certain definite standards for every grade emphasizing slant, spacing, alignment, quality, and formation.
4. Because it would be possible to secure the services of a supervisor of penmanship, teaching this system, to instruct the teachers.
5. Because there are Certificates of Award to be presented to the pupils as they reach desired goals.

Through the generosity of Miss Olive Adams, Supervisor of Penmanship in the Beverly Public Schools, it has been possible to provide all teachers with a graded outline definitely outlining the work by months for the several grades.

Results desired will be attained only as pupils in lower grades advance to the upper grades meeting the several standards. However, it is fully expected that pupils in the intermediate and upper grades will show a fair degree of improvement in penmanship, even though not having had the advantages of this system in their early years of schooling.

ARITHMETIC

To supplement the text in Arithmetic, which is for teachers' use only of grades one and two, there has been prepared and placed in the hands of these teachers an outline of work required by months in these two grades. With the use of this outline it will be possible for teachers to plan their work more methodically and promote pupils to the third grade better prepared to carry on the work of the texts used in this grade and thereafter.

SAFETY

No system of education from the kindergarten to the graduate school can long exist which is content to follow the old requirements and not give thought or consideration to progress as it affects society at large.

Probably no one development in this generation has affected civilization more than has the development of motor driven vehicles. Business has been developed and extended, social life has been broadened, travel has been increased and the home which was once thought of as contained within four walls is now largely on four wheels.

With this change so rapidly brought about by the development of motor vehicles, has come the necessity of adding another subject to the curriculum or of making it an integral part of some other subject. This subject has to do especially with rights of self and others when using the public highways. That streets and highways may be safe for those using the same His Excellency, Governor Frank G. Allen, has requested that a committee on Street and Highway Safety be organized in every town and city in the Commonwealth.

The committee organized in Lynnfield, as in other towns and cities, looks to the schools to do constructive work in safety education for the purpose of decreasing the number of injuries and deaths due to motor vehicle accidents. When we realize that approximately one-third of all fatal accidents on highways are of school children it behooves those administering the work of the schools to give safety education its rightful share of attention.

To assist the Lynnfield Committee on Street and Highway Safety it is our purpose to stress the following "General Objectives of Safety Education" prepared and distributed by the State Department of Education.

- I. To give children an understanding of situations involving hazard that their behavior in these situations may be intelligent.
- II. To develop habits of conduct which will enable children to meet the situations of daily life without accident.
- III. To develop habits of conduct which will function in difficult situations and in times of crisis.
- IV. To develop a generation characterized by habits of carefulness.
- V. To develop skill in control of bodily movement.
- VI. To create right attitudes including:
 - A. Respect for law and officers of the law.
 - B. Willingness to assume responsibility for the safety of self and others.
 - C. Willingness to co-operate in organized efforts to secure safety.
 - D. Interest in the social significance of safety.
- VII. To eliminate all preventable accidents.

OFFICE HOURS

For the convenience of those desiring to confer with me may I state that office hours are held on the first Wednesday of the month where I may be interviewed at the Center School from 10-12 a. m., and at the

South School 2-4 p. m. Those desiring to see me at other times should make the appointment with the principals of the buildings.

In concluding this report I wish to express my appreciation to all those who have helped make the past year one of pleasure and profit to the boys and girls of Lynnfield.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN D. WHITTIER,

Superintendent of Schools.

January 14, 1930.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir: I herewith submit my fifth annual report as School Nurse for the Town of Lynnfield.

The school work consists of general weekly inspection for cleanliness, clerical work, weighing and measuring, home visits, first aid, clinics, simple dressings and follow-up work for defects.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

During September and October a physical examination was given by the School Physician, Dr. F. W. Freeman. The result of this examination is as follows:

| Underweights | Tonsils | Teeth | Posture | Heart | Glands | |
|--------------|-----------|-------|---------|-------|--------|--------------|
| 31 | 41 | 33 | 18 | 1 | 6 | Due to colds |
| Corrected | Tonsils 6 | | | | 1 | Incised |

HEALTH DAY

In May of each year, a day is given over to a general survey of the health of the school children. Simple health plays are given and tags are awarded to all children having good posture, normal weight and to those having perfect teeth with a dental certificate from the family dentist. The State Department of Public Health furnishes the tags, the tags being red, white and blue. Red is for normal weight, white for perfect teeth, and blue for posture. The number of children awarded tags last May is as follows:

CENTRE SCHOOL—ENROLLMENT IN MAY, 120

| Weight | Posture | Teeth |
|--------|---------|--------------------|
| 107 | 62 | 37 |
| | | 37 under treatment |

SOUTH SCHOOL—ENROLLMENT IN MAY, 130

| Weight | Posture | Teeth |
|--------|---------|--------------------|
| 76 | 77 | 31 |
| | | 24 under treatment |

IMMUNIZATION

I hope we will soon be able to have all the children attending the schools of Lynnfield immunized against diphtheria. This treatment can be given with very little cost, and will protect our children against diphtheria.

CONTAGIOUS OR COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

We have been very fortunate this year in regard to diseases. During the past year we have not had a communicable or contagious disease reported from either the South or Center School.

PEDICULOSIS

During the year there have been about seven cases of Pediculosis (head lice). All children affected were excluded from school for treatment.

Results of Eye and Ear test are as follows:

Defective eyes, 10. Defective ears, 4.

Parents who had children found with any defects were notified of same.

GENERAL WORK FOR YEAR AT SOUTH AND CENTRE

| No. of clerical work hours | Home Visits | Clinics | Simple Dressings |
|----------------------------|-------------|---------|------------------|
| 70 | 50 | 4 | 4 |
| Weekly inspection | | | |
| 44 | | | |

It is interesting to note the progress being made in regard to the health of the school children. This is largely to do with the splendid co-operation of the physician, superintendent, principals, teachers and parents.

In closing I wish to thank all who helped to make my year's work successful.

FLORENCE L. STOBART, R. N.,
School Nurse.

PROFESSIONAL IMPROVEMENTS

| Name | School | Course |
|--------------------|----------------------|--|
| Blanche Hallowell | Machias, Maine | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser Summer School |
| Mildreth Parkhurst | | Summer School |
| | Aroostook State Nor. | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser |
| Althea Robinson | Boston University | Teaching of English in Junior High Schools |
| Kathleen Fraser | | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser |
| Bernice Munroe | Lynn | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser Primary Activities |
| | | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser |

| | |
|---------------|--------------------------|
| Ona K. Ridley | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser |
| Emma Williams | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser |
| Laila Pollard | Penmanship, Zaner-Bloser |

ATTENDANCE

The following pupils were perfect in attendance during the school year 1928-1929.

CENTRE SCHOOL

| | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Arthur Russell | Sylvia Russell |
| Ralph Stearns | Amelia Rombult |
| Shirley Tuck | John Doore |
| Julius Rombult | Raymond Simpson |
| | Ronald Northrup |

SOUTH SCHOOL

| | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Jane Kenney | Norma Lundholm |
| Ella Schlenker | Dorothy Wilkins |

PENMANSHIP

The following pupils received certificates for improvement in Penmanship during the school year 1928-1929.

CENTRE SCHOOL

| | |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Arthur Boudreau | John Shabbas |
| Sylvia Russell | Lois Murphy |
| Carl Davis | Pearl Savage |

SOUTH SCHOOL

| | |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Mabel Beckett | Marjorie Falls |
| Frances MacLeod | Florence Harvey |

HOME READING WITH SCHOOL CREDIT

Public Library and Public Schools Co-operating

The following pupils received Reading Certificates for having read ten or more books from the approved list:

CENTRE SCHOOL

Grade III

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|------------------|---|
| Richard Doremus | 1 | Andrew Rombult | 4 |
| John Shabbas | | Charles Todd | |
| Richard Tyacke | | Virginia Lambert | |

Grade IV

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|-----------------|----|
| Lance Ballou | | Arthur Boudreau | |
| Dana Pratt | 2 | Arthur Russell | 13 |
| Donald Russell | 13 | Ralph Stearns | 2 |
| Catherine Boudreau | 2 | Barbara Gerry | 7 |
| Rose Gersinovitsh | 1 | Jean Palmeter | 13 |
| Eleanor Smith | 3 | Muriel Woodbury | 1 |

Grade V

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|----------------|---|
| Floris Smith | 2 | Sylvia Russell | 3 |
| Amelia Rombult | 2 | Henry Olsson | 1 |
| Elizabeth Peabody | | Virginia Cox | 2 |

Grade VI

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Barbara Grace | 2 | Edith Briggs | 1 |
| Rita Connor | | Shirley Tuck | 1 |
| Florence Murphy | 2 | Virginia Gaston | 2 |
| Ruth Tyacke | 2 | Lois Murphy | 3 |

Grade VII

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Julius Rombult | 9 | Ruth Nute | 7 |
| Eleanor Donahue | 7 | Raymond Simpson | |
| Leighton Tuck | 3 | | |

Grade VIII

| | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----------------|--|
| Maybelle Tornberg | | Dorothy Lambert | |
|-------------------|--|-----------------|--|

SOUTH SCHOOL

Grade III

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Billy Cass | | Eugene Whiteway | 1 |
| Charles MacLeod | | Ina Harvey | |
| Richard Hunt | | Jeannette Therrien | |
| Joseph Benoit | | Virginia Nye | |
| Maxine McNamara | | Marjorie Baldwin | |
| George Rich | 1 | Hazel Griffith | |
| | | Margaret Dalton | 1 |

Grade IV

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Alice Wall | | Granville Hooper | |
| Roberta MacLeod | 1 | Ada Schefische | 1 |
| Bernadine Brannon | 2 | Betty Keefe | 1 |
| Dorothy Holland | 3 | Harold Taylor | 2 |
| | | Ellsworth MacLaughlin | 2 |

Grade V

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|----------------|---|
| Marie Baldini | | Mabel Beckett | 1 |
| Marjorie Falls | | Edith Griffith | |
| Mildred Harvey | | Ethel Hayward | |
| Lawrence Lamont | 1 | Paul Schlenker | 3 |
| Frances Sparkes | 2 | Barbara Thomas | |
| June Turville | | June Watson | |

Grade VI

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Dwight Ayers | 3 | Virginia Brannon | |
| Lucy Benoit | | Daniel Leichner | |
| Jane Kenney | 1 | Norma Lundholm | 3 |
| Richard Long | | Eleanor Nye | |
| Nathalie McNamara | | John Ross | |
| Dana Page | | Vivian Smith | |
| Aldo Barile | | Gordon Whiteway | |

Grade VII

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Ella Schlenker | 3 | Evelyn Hilton | |
| Barbara Studley | | Ruth Pelley | |
| Doris Therrien | | Frances MacLeod | |
| Ivy Baldwin | | John Keefe | 1 |
| Robert Shaw | 3 | Francis Dalton | |
| Howard Crafts | | John Griffith | 2 |

Grade VIII

| | | | |
|-------------------|---|-----------------|---|
| Grace Griffith | 1 | Lois Hayward | |
| Dorothy Wilkins | | Pearl Griffith | |
| Eleanor MacNamara | | Catherine Ross | |
| Florence Wilkes | | Florence Harvey | |
| Charles Lane | 6 | Mark Newbegin | 1 |
| Roger Mansfield | 2 | Thomas Pyburn | |
| Arthur Sayers | | Robert Hunt | |
| Roscoe Delamater | | Frank Barile | |

Figures denote number of stars given for the reading of each five books in addition to the ten required for obtaining certificates.

HONOR ROLL

The following pupils were on the Honor Roll during the entire school year, 1928-1929.

CENTRE SCHOOL

| | |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| Joseph Donahue | Beatrice Woodbury |
| Jeannette Griffin | Edith Doremus |
| Dorothy Lambert | Maybelle Tornberg |
| Leighton Tuck | Julius Rombult |
| Ruth Nute | Eleanor Donahue |
| Frank Coldwell | Charlotte Boudreau |

SOUTH SCHOOL

| | |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Florence Harvey | Eleanor MacNamara |
| Catherine Ross | Howard Crafts |

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE 55

SCHOOL CENSUS As of October 1, 1929

| | Boys | Girls |
|--|-------|-------|
| Number between five and seven years of age | 26 | 25 |
| Number between seven and fourteen years of age | 91 | 103 |
| Number between fourteen and sixteen years of age | 35 | 19 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Totals | 152 | 147 |
| Total Census | | 299 |

REPORT OF SCHOOL SAVINGS AT LYNN INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS

SOUTH LYNNFIELD SCHOOL

School Year 1928-1929

| | | |
|-----------------------|----|--------|
| Balance, July 1, 1928 | \$ | 105.94 |
| Deposits | | 386.06 |

| | | |
|------------------|----|--------|
| | \$ | 492.00 |
| Cash Withdrawals | | 44.04 |

| | | |
|-----------|----|--------|
| | \$ | 447.96 |
| Transfers | | 321.65 |

| | | |
|-----------------------|----|--------|
| Balance June 26, 1929 | \$ | 126.31 |
|-----------------------|----|--------|

Accounts opened—31.

School Year 1929-1930

| | | |
|------------------------|----|--------|
| Balance, June 26, 1929 | \$ | 126.31 |
| Deposits | | 253.93 |

| | | |
|------------------|----|--------|
| | \$ | 380.24 |
| Cash Withdrawals | | 17.38 |

| | | |
|-----------|----|--------|
| | \$ | 362.86 |
| Transfers | | 151.77 |

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----|--------|
| Present balance, Jan. 1, 1930 | \$ | 211.09 |
|-------------------------------|----|--------|

LYNNFIELD CENTER SCHOOL

School Year 1928-1929

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------|
| Balance, August 1, 1928 | \$ | 33.86 |
| Deposits | | 110.09 |

| | | |
|------------------|----|--------|
| | \$ | 143.95 |
| Cash withdrawals | | 50.04 |

\$ 93.91

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Transfers | 73.89 |
| Balance, June 26, 1929 | \$ 20.02 |
| Accounts opened—16. | |
| School Year 1929-1930 | |
| Balance, June 26, 1929 | \$ 20.02 |
| Deposits | 44.07 |
| | \$ 64.09 |
| Cash Withdrawals | 18.66 |
| | \$ 45.43 |
| Transfers | 23.43 |
| Present balance, Jan. 1, 1930 | \$ 22.00 |

Graduation Exercises---Class of 1929

LYNNFIELD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Town Hall, Tuesday Evening, June 25, 1929

Eight o'clock

PROGRAM

March

"The Heavens Resound"

Beethoven

Address

Hon. Michael H. Shaw

"Shadows Falling"

Gardner

"Stars of the Summer Night"

Woodbury

Presentation of Diplomas

Mrs. Ona K. Ridley, Miss Althea Robinson

"I Love a Little Cottage"

Stott

"The Little Brown Church in the Vale"

Pitts

March

CLASS ROLL

Grace Louise Griffith

Edith Doremus

Florence Aimee Harvey

Jeannette Griffin

Lois Frances Hayward

Dorothy Pingree Lambert

Eleanor Bernice McNamara

Pearl Louise Savage

Catharine Josephine Ross

Maybelle Nancy Tornberg

Florence Lavinia Wilkes

Beatrice Woodbury

Dorothy May Wilkins

Frank Barile

Albert Harold Bangs

Roscoe Conklin Delamater

John Charles Boudreau

Robert Judson Hunt

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1929
AGE

| Grade | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Ttl. | % Re- tarded |
|------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|------|-----------------|
| 1 | 16 | 12 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | 30 | 0 |
| 2 | | 14 | 16 | 8 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | 40 | 5 |
| 3 | | | 11 | 18 | 6 | | 1 | | | | | | | 36 | 2 |
| 4 | | | | 9 | 15 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | 26 | 4 |
| 5 | | | | | 12 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 1 | | | | | 27 | 11 |
| 6 | | | | | | 7 | 11 | 3 | 1 | | | | | 22 | 4 |
| 7 | | | | | | 1 | 8 | 19 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | | 33 | 6 |
| 8 | | | | | | | 3 | 7 | 11 | 1 | | | | 22 | 0 |
| Total | 16 | 26 | 29 | 35 | 34 | 19 | 26 | 32 | 16 | 2 | 1 | | | 236 | |
| Total grades 1-8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 236 | |
| Percent retarded, grades 1-8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | |

AGE OF ADMISSION

No child will be admitted to the first grade at the opening of school in September, who was not five years of age on or before the first day of April preceding his entrance.

Exception: Pupils not five years of age by April first will be admitted provided that they pass an intelligence examination showing a mental ability of five years and five months. Parents are to make application to the School Committee for admittance of said pupils prior to August twentieth.

Pupils are admitted to this grade only during the first two weeks of school in September unless they have attended in some other town.

VACCINATION

Children who have not yet been vaccinated will not be admitted to school in September unless they present a certificate from a regular practising physician, stating that they are not fit subjects for vaccination. Parents are requested to attend to this matter during the summer vacation, as certificates of vaccination or exemption must be presented at the opening of school to entitle children to admission.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1930

| | |
|-------------|---------------|
| January 2 | Schools open |
| February 21 | Schools close |
| March 3 | Schools open |
| April 25 | Schools close |
| May 5 | Schools open |
| May 30 | Holiday |
| June 25 | Schools close |

Summer Vacation

| | |
|-------------|------------------------|
| September 8 | Schools open |
| October 13 | Holiday |
| November 11 | Holiday |
| November 26 | Schools closed at noon |
| December 1 | Schools open |
| December 19 | Schools close |
| December 29 | Schools open |

REPORT OF BOARD OF ASSESSORS

TAX LEVY OF 1929

APPROPRIATIONS

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Annual Town Meeting | \$ 93,822.09 |
| State Tax | 3,570.00 |
| State Tax, Special Highway..... | 420.00 |
| State Tax, Special Snow Removal | 53.00 |
| State, Balance of Moth Account..... | .07 |
| County Tax | 5,418.42 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$102,283.58 |
| Estimated Credits | 24,950.08 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 77,335.50 |
| Polls (499 @ \$2.00) | 998.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 76,335.50 |
| Overlay | 1,103.48 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 77,438.98 |
| Warrant to Tax Collector | \$ 77,438.98 |
| Excise Tax | 7,601.95 |
| Warrants to Tax Collector | 7,601.95 |
| Abatements on Excise Tax | 462.98 |
| Net | 7,138.97 |

ESTIMATED CREDITS

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Income Tax | \$ 9,110.00 |
| Corporation Tax | 1,212.00 |
| Bank Tax | 262.00 |
| Licenses and Permits | 238.50 |
| Fines | 268.00 |
| Special Assessments | 385.00 |
| Rent of Halls | 379.00 |
| Charities (City of Lynn) | 416.00 |
| Charities (State) | 156.00 |
| State Aid | 168.00 |
| Schools | 4,753.00 |
| Library | 61.80 |
| Cemeteries | 165.00 |

REPORT OF BOARD OF ASSESSORS 61

| | |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Interest on Deposits | 205.00 |
| Interest on Taxes | 603.00 |
| Veterans' Exemptions | 67.42 |
| Excise Tax | 6,500.00 |
| Total | \$ 24,950.08 |

ABATEMENTS

Tax of 1927

| | | | |
|-------------------------|---------|----|-------|
| Poll | \$ 2.00 | | |
| Personal Property | 16.62 | | |
| Real Estate | .83 | \$ | 19.45 |

Tax of 1928

| | | | |
|--------------------|----------|----|--------|
| Personal Tax | \$ 56.26 | | |
| Real Estate | 228.07 | \$ | 284.33 |

Tax of 1929

| | |
|-------------------|-----------|
| Real Estate | \$ 371.30 |
|-------------------|-----------|

TABLE OF AGGREGATES, APRIL ASSESSMENT

| | |
|---|----------------|
| Polls Assessed | 499 |
| Number of Horses | 49 |
| Number of Cows | 134 |
| Other Neat Cattle | 31 |
| Number of Dwellings | 660 |
| Number of Fowl | 5,280 |
| Value of Personal Property Assessed | \$ 185,973.00 |
| Value of Buildings | \$2,146,250.00 |
| Value of Land | \$ 963,070.00 |
| Total of Real Estate | \$3,109,320.00 |
| Total of Real and Personal | \$3,295,293.00 |
| Rate, \$23.50 M. | |
| Total Tax on Personal | \$ 4,370.45 |
| Total Tax on Real Estate | \$ 73,068.53 |
| Total Tax on Polls | \$ 998.00 |
| Moth work Assessed to Real Estate | \$ 29.75 |

LYNNFIELD WATER DISTRICT—1929

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Value of Personal Property | \$ 56,020.00 |
| Value of Buildings | \$ 967,050.00 |
| Value of Land | \$ 313,290.00 |
| Total Value of Real Estate | \$1,280,340.00 |

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Total Value of Personal | \$ 56,020.00 |
| Total Value of Real and Personal | \$1,336,360.00 |
| Rate of Levy, \$3.10 per M. | |
| Amount raised on Personal Property | \$ 173.68 |
| Amount raised on Real Estate | \$ 3,969.16 |
| Total Amount Raised | \$ 4,142.84 |
| Warrant to Collector | \$ 4,142.84 |
| Amount required to make payments | \$ 4,081.25 |
| Balance 1929 Levy | \$ 61.59 |

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
George H. Bancroft, Clerk.

REPORT OF TREASURER

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1929, as Treasurer and Custodian of Trust Funds.

TRUST FUNDS

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Cemetery Endowments with accrued interest .. | \$ 8,998.86 |
| Mary U. Nash Fund with accrued interest.... | 2,741.60 |
| George N. Blake Library Fund | 4,000.00 |
| Mary U. Nash Library Fund | 1,000.00 |
| George L. Hawkes Library Fund | 500.00 |
| Adelia J. Clough Library Fund | 300.00 |
| Liability Insurance Fund, with accrued interest | 2,557.29 |
| Legion Memorial Fund, with accrued interest.. | 867.47 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 20,965.22 |

EARNINGS AND DISTRIBUTION

GEORGE N. BLAKE LIBRARY FUND

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Amount of Fund December 31, 1928..... | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Dividends for year 1929 | 210.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 4,210.00 |
| Dividends credited to Library..... | \$ 210.00 |
| Bond investment December 31, 1929..... | 4,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 4,210.00 |

MARY U. NASH LIBRARY FUND

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928 | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Interest earned in 1929 | 50.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,050.00 |
| Interest credited to Library | \$ 50.00 |
| On deposit Medford Savings Bank | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,050.00 |

GEORGE L. HAWKES LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928 | \$ | 500.00 |
| Interest earned in 1929 | | 22.50 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 522.50 |
| Interest credited to Library | \$ | 22.50 |
| On deposit Suffolk Savings Bank..... | | 500.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 522.50 |

ADELIA J. CLOUGH LIBRARY FUND

| | | |
|---|----|--------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928 | \$ | 300.00 |
| Interest earned for year 1929..... | | 14.40 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 314.40 |
| Interest credited to Library | \$ | 14.10 |
| On deposit Wakefield Savings Bank | | 300.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 314.40 |

MARY U. NASH IMPROVEMENT FUND

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928 | \$ | 2,617.26 |
| Interest Wakefield Savings Bank for 1929.... | | 59.51 |
| Interest Mechanics Savings Bank for 1929..... | | 64.83 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 2,741.60 |
| On deposit Wakefield Savings Bank..... | \$ | 1,298.16 |
| On deposit Mechanics Savings Bank..... | | 1,443.44 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 2,741.60 |

LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928 | \$ | 2,751.79 |
| Interest Wakefield Savings Bank | | 78.27 |
| Interest Dorchester Savings Bank | | 51.22 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 2,881.28 |
| Interest withdrawn by order Selectmen..... | | 323.99 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 2,557.29 |
| On deposit Wakefield Savings Bank | \$ | 1,380.06 |
| On deposit Dorchester Savings Bank..... | | 1,177.23 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 2,557.29 |

LEGION MEMORIAL FUND

| | | |
|---|----|--------|
| On deposit December 31, 1928..... | \$ | 829.74 |
| Interest for 1929 | | 37.73 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 867.47 |
| On deposit Dorchester Savings Bank..... | \$ | 867.47 |

CEMETERY ENDOWMENTS

(there were two lots endowed in 1929, each in the sum of one hundred dollars.

August 8, 1929 received from Mrs. Izetta Tower one hundred dollars to endow lot No. 292 in Forest Hill Cemetery, said sum to be invested and income only used for perpetual care of said lot. Fund to be known as the Izetta Tower Fund.

August 8, 1929, deposited in Mechanics' Savings Bank.

September 1, 1929, interest begins.

October 9, 1929, received from Eugene A. Newhall of Lynn, Mass., one hundred dollars, to endow lot No. 53 in Willow Cemetery, said sum to be invested and income only used for perpetual care of said lot. Fund to be known as the Eugene A. Newhall Fund.

October 10, 1929, deposited in Mechanics' Savings Bank.

November 1, 1929, interest begins.

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Endowment, with accrued interest Dec. 31, 1928 | \$ 8,721.31 |
| Endowments received in 1929..... | 200.00 |
| Interest in 1929 | 412.30 |

\$ 9,333.61

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Withdrawn for care of lots | 334.75 |
|----------------------------------|--------|

\$ 8,998.86

Deposited December 31, 1929 as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Willey Savings Bank..... | \$ 1,200.51 |
| Wakefield Savings Bank | 3,798.93 |
| Mechanics' Savings Bank | 3,699.42 |
| Liberty Bonds | 300.00 |

\$ 8,998.86

INCOME, EXPENSE AND BALANCE OF EACH FUND

| | On Deposit | | | On Deposit | |
|--------------------|------------|---------|---------|------------|-----------|
| | 12-31-'28 | Income | Expense | | 12-31-'29 |
| Charles F. Abbott | \$ 108.71 | \$ 5.09 | \$ 4.00 | | \$ 109.80 |
| Henry Bancroft | 342.50 | 16.10 | 11.00 | | 347.60 |
| Joseph T. Bancroft | 102.35 | 4.80 | 4.00 | | 103.15 |
| Warren Bancroft | 100.00 | 4.25 | 4.25 | | 100.00 |
| Thomas D. Blake | 119.39 | 5.73 | 6.00 | | 119.12 |
| Albert R. Bryant | 113.91 | 5.44 | 4.00 | | 115.35 |
| Johnathan Bryant | 107.87 | 5.16 | 5.50 | | 107.53 |
| John Bryant | 97.53 | 4.56 | 2.00 | | 100.09 |
| Thomas J. Casson | 100.38 | 4.70 | 4.00 | | 101.08 |
| Matthew Cox | 128.01 | 6.13 | 7.00 | | 127.14 |
| Jeremiah Coney | 165.59 | 7.94 | 5.00 | | 168.53 |
| Sarah J. Coney | 112.00 | 5.37 | 5.50 | | 111.87 |

| | | | | |
|------------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| Daniel P. Cook | 100.00 | 4.25 | 4.25 | 100.00 |
| George S. Danforth | 104.81 | 5.02 | 4.00 | 105.83 |
| John M. Danforth | 100.34 | 4.80 | 5.50 | 99.64 |
| Mary A. Danforth | 110.57 | 5.31 | 4.00 | 111.88 |
| Abel B. Davis | 100.00 | 2.88 | 4.00 | 98.88 |
| Edward Downing | 104.43 | 5.04 | 4.00 | 105.47 |
| Oliver Downing | 105.69 | 5.04 | 4.00 | 106.73 |
| William C. Duncanson | 100.00 | 4.25 | 4.25 | 100.00 |
| Adelia C. Emerson | 80.03 | 3.83 | | 83.86 |
| Emerson & Orne | 98.20 | 4.71 | 2.00 | 100.91 |
| Charles H. Getchell | 108.62 | 5.09 | 4.00 | 109.71 |
| Elbridge Gerry | 101.88 | 4.77 | 4.00 | 102.65 |
| Elbridge F. Gerry | 203.75 | 9.56 | 4.00 | 209.31 |
| Lucy E. Gowing | 57.07 | 2.67 | 1.00 | 58.74 |
| Esther W. M. Gilman | 247.19 | 11.86 | 18.00 | 241.05 |
| Endicott Hart | 57.07 | 2.67 | 1.00 | 58.74 |
| John E. Hastings | 113.82 | 5.32 | 7.00 | 112.14 |
| Mary B. Hawkes | 116.07 | 5.56 | 4.00 | 117.63 |
| George E. Herrick | 102.92 | 4.82 | 4.00 | 103.74 |
| Joseph H. Hobson | 108.60 | 5.21 | | 113.81 |
| Joshua Hewes | 104.29 | 4.99 | 5.00 | 104.28 |
| Joseph Hart | 162.73 | 7.80 | 6.00 | 164.53 |
| Daniel Hood | 102.31 | 4.80 | 4.00 | 103.11 |
| Jacob Hood | 115.66 | 5.54 | 4.00 | 117.20 |
| John N. Hooper | 102.89 | 4.82 | 4.00 | 103.71 |
| George E. Lambert, Jr. | 102.25 | 4.80 | 4.00 | 103.05 |
| R. & D. Mansfield | 108.38 | 5.18 | 6.00 | 107.56 |
| George J. Mansfield | 105.99 | 5.06 | 4.00 | 107.05 |
| Viola E. Mc Niel | 102.92 | 4.93 | 4.00 | 103.85 |
| Joseph S. Moulton | 112.57 | 5.28 | | 117.85 |
| A. Brigham Munroe | 103.29 | 4.95 | 4.00 | 104.24 |
| Daniel Needham | 122.58 | 5.88 | 6.00 | 122.46 |
| Helen D. Newcomb | 109.10 | 5.23 | 6.00 | 108.33 |
| James H. Newhall | 118.42 | 5.69 | 6.00 | 118.11 |
| Joseph C. Newhall | 96.98 | 4.64 | 3.00 | 98.62 |
| Warren Newhall | 107.54 | 5.03 | 4.00 | 108.57 |
| Wright Newhall | 112.64 | 5.40 | 4.00 | 114.04 |
| James Norwood | 103.21 | 4.95 | 4.00 | 104.16 |
| Thomas B. Parker | 105.17 | 4.93 | 4.00 | 106.10 |
| David F. Parsons | 110.48 | 5.28 | 4.00 | 111.76 |
| Israel A. Parsons | 113.55 | 5.44 | 4.00 | 114.99 |
| Ebenezer Parsons | 128.94 | 6.02 | 7.00 | 127.96 |
| Esther R. Perkins | 111.29 | 5.21 | 4.00 | 112.50 |
| John H. Perkins | 205.75 | 9.65 | 11.00 | 204.40 |
| M. C. Pope | 103.36 | 4.95 | 4.00 | 104.31 |

| | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|------|--------|
| Charlotte M. Ramsdell | 144.65 | 6.92 | 6.00 | 145.57 |
| Herbert Richardson | 91.85 | 4.38 | 2.00 | 94.23 |
| Moses Richardson | 120.26 | 5.75 | 5.00 | 121.01 |
| John W. Ross | 105.55 | 5.04 | 4.00 | 106.59 |
| Nathaniel Ross | 101.95 | 4.87 | 4.00 | 102.82 |
| Elbridge Russell | 234.15 | 11.01 | 9.50 | 235.66 |
| Lois Shute | 105.74 | 5.06 | | 110.80 |
| George Skinner | 106.02 | 5.09 | 4.00 | 107.11 |
| Herbert A. Skinner | 110.56 | 5.19 | 4.00 | 111.75 |
| William Skinner | 154.05 | 7.40 | 6.00 | 155.45 |
| William Smith | 106.47 | 4.98 | 4.00 | 107.45 |
| Boman Viles | 108.17 | 5.07 | 4.00 | 109.24 |
| Thomas B. Wellman | 211.46 | 9.93 | 8.00 | 213.39 |
| H. Amanda Wiley | 114.95 | 5.38 | 4.00 | 116.33 |
| Jacob Wiley | 106.28 | 5.09 | 5.00 | 106.37 |
| Mary E. Wiley | 107.61 | 5.16 | 4.00 | 108.77 |
| Izetta Tower | | 1.20 | | 101.20 |
| Eugene A. Newhall | | .40 | | 100.40 |

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|------------|----------|----------|------------|
| \$8,721.31 | \$412.30 | \$334.75 | \$8,998.86 |
|------------|----------|----------|------------|

TREASURER'S RECEIPTS AND CASH BALANCE

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Cash balance January 1, 1929..... | \$ 11,607.16 |
| Loans in anticipation of revenue | 80,000.00 |
| Loan for Main St. construction | 8,000.00 |
| Essex County Dog Tax refund | 184.31 |
| Interest George N. Blake Library Fund | 210.00 |
| Interest Mary U. Nash Library Fund | 50.00 |
| Interest George L. Hawkes Library Fund | 22.50 |
| Interest Adelia J. Clough Library Fund | 14.40 |
| Interest from Cemetery Endowment Fund | 334.75 |
| Cemetery lots sold | 180.00 |
| Compensation Fund, withdrawn | 323.99 |
| School Department, miscellaneous receipts | 1.50 |
| City of Cambridge, Tuition | 129.48 |
| Fines collected, Main Library | 26.65 |
| Fines collected, Branch Library | 38.70 |
| Refund, School Department | 4.50 |
| Rent of Town Hall | 166.00 |
| Rent of South Hall | 65.00 |
| Sealer of Weights, Fees collected | 29.20 |
| Collected by Moth Department | 401.49 |
| Refund on insurance Main Library | 38.87 |
| Refund, various | .83 |
| Telephone calls | .50 |
| Building permits | 71.00 |

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Court Fines | 240.00 |
| Highway Department | 36.00 |
| Junk Licenses | 30.00 |
| Licenses and permits | 126.00 |
| School Retirement Fund | 650.25 |
| City of Lynn, Welfare | 520.00 |
| Essex County for Main St., Construction 1928 | 5,602.13 |
| Essex County for Main St., Construction 1929..... | 9,594.80 |
| Commonwealth for Main St., Construction 1928..... | 5,602.13 |
| Commonwealth for Main St., Construction 1929..... | 9,594.80 |
| Commonwealth, Mothers' Aid | 104.00 |
| Commonwealth, Moth Tax | 60.78 |
| Commonwealth, State License | 6.00 |
| Commonwealth, State Aid | 138.00 |
| Commonwealth, Tuition | 344.75 |
| Commonwealth, Vocation School | 43.50 |
| Commonwealth, Department of Education | 382.53 |
| Commonwealth, Transportation of High School | 3,552.21 |
| Commonwealth, Corporation Business Tax 1929 | 833.47 |
| Commonwealth, Corporation Public Service Tax 1929..... | 711.03 |
| Commonwealth, Corporation Income Tax 1928..... | 420.00 |
| Commonwealth, Corporation Income Tax 1929..... | 10,835.60 |
| Commonwealth, National Bank Tax | 207.64 |
| Commonwealth, Trust Co. Tax | 80.36 |
| Wakefield Trust Co., Interest Treasurer daily balance..... | 151.48 |
| Collector of Taxes, Tax titles | 5.00 |
| Collector of Taxes, Poll Tax 1928 | 942.00 |
| Collector of Taxes, Tax of 1927 | 197.97 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest Tax of 1927 | 22.65 |
| Collector of Taxes, Poll Tax 1928 | 6.00 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest Poll Tax | .17 |
| Collector of Taxes, Tax of 1928 | 17,301.49 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest 1928 | 470.64 |
| Collector of Taxes, Moth Tax 1928 | 8.50 |
| Collector of Taxes, December Assessment 1928..... | 1.74 |
| Collector of Taxes, Tax of 1929 | 51,786.51 |
| Collector of Taxes, Excise Tax 1929 | 5,009.07 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest Tax 1929 | 35.49 |
| Collector of Taxes, Moth Tax 1929 | 21.50 |
| Collector of Taxes, Interest on daily balance | 121.81 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$227,698.83 |
| Paid on Warrants | 213,016.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| Cash, Dec. 31, 1929 | \$ 14,682.33 |

The borrowing capacity of the Town on temporary loans, in anticipation of revenue of 1929, as determined by the State Director of Accounts, was \$88,479.49.

The Town borrowed in anticipation of Revenue, \$80,000.00.

List of loans with interest and date of payment:

March 28 \$10,000.00 @ 5.25% discount paid November 1.
May 14 \$20,000.00 @ 5.50% discount paid November 15.
July 16 \$10,000.00 @ 5.50% discount paid November 15.
Aug. 20 \$20,000.00 @ 5.50% discount paid December 15.
Dec. 10 \$20,000.00 @ 4.25% due May 10, 1930.

On August 13, 1929 the town borrowed for Highway construction, \$8,000.00, interest rate 4.50%, payable \$2,000.00 yearly, 1930-1933 inclusive.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANKLIN W. FREEMAN, Treasurer.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield:

The Board of Selectmen met March 5, 1929, and organized as follows: Ralph E. Cox, Chairman; Archie L. Hayward, Secretary; and Joseph F. Smith.

March 19, the Board met and made all necessary appointments. Realizing the amount of new and necessary business to come before them, the Selectmen deemed it advisable to meet every Tuesday night at eight o'clock, thereby diverting from the old and long practised custom of meeting on the first Monday night of each month.

Complying with the vote of the Town at the Annual Town Meeting in March, the Selectmen appointed a Special Police Officer to do duty through precinct one. Therefore, with an officer on duty through precinct two, the town should be well protected. The Selectmen required these officers as well as the Heads of every department appointed by them to render a monthly report of their duties. This request has been fulfilled satisfactorily.

The continuance of building a permanent road on Main street has been completed as far as the allotment of the State, County, and Town funds for 1929 would allow. Many bad curves have been straightened out, the drainage of water has been cared for and a general improvement has taken place along the new line of construction.

The Selectmen thought it advisable and important to make a taking of land at the junction of Main and Lowell Streets. The County Commissioners were petitioned and land was taken on three corners, making it more safe and convenient for public travel.

There have been several improvements made on our public buildings this year, such as new cement steps in front of the Town Hall, to

replace the old and worn out wooden ones. One chimney taken down at the old meeting house and the other one rebuilt so as to be safe and more sightly. One hundred new seats were purchased of the Heywood-Wakefield Co., for the Auditorium of the Town Hall. Chemical No. 2 Hall was in a rather undesirable condition and the Lynnfield Woman's Club suggested that the stage be repainted. The Board met and after viewing the hall, decided to have the entire hall reconditioned. This being completed the Lynnfield Woman's Club made and presented to the Town a beautiful velour curtain for the stage, making a marked improvement in the appearance of the hall.

The Selectmen met with the State Department of public works in Boston and discussed the advisability of a traffic light at the junction of Salem Street and the Newburyport Turnpike. A permit was granted and an agreement made for the State to co-operate with the town in sharing the expense of such a light. There has been much discussion regarding the type of light to be installed, due to the unusual conditions of traffic on these two thoroughfares.

A request from the Mayor of the City of Lynn was received by the Selectmen asking if Lynnfield would take some active part in the Tercentenary Celebration. A committee was appointed and the following floats were entered in the parade in that City.

1. Reproduction of the Old Meeting House.
2. A Pioneer Kitchen.
3. Suntaug Lake.

All these floats were a credit to the town, the committee, and their assistants.

The Board has met with the State Department of Public Works and filed a request for \$10,000 contribution for the continuance of Main Street, which has been granted. The Board also met with the County Commissioners in December and filed a like petition of \$10,000 for the continuance of Main Street, which has also been granted and it is the desire of the Board that the Town do vote to contribute a like sum of \$10,000 so this work can be continued through the Village and be realized and enjoyed by a larger number of our Town's people.

The Board of Selectmen feel this year has been one of the most active and progressive in the history of the town and hope the work will continue as harmoniously and progressively in the future.

We wish to thank all of the Department Heads and their employees, also the citizens of the Town for the co-operation given to us during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ARCHIE L. HAYWARD,
Secretary, Board of Selectmen.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1929.

There have been 34 arrests in Lynnfield by Lynnfield Police, for the following reasons: driving under the influence of liquor; larceny; operating without lights; operating without license in possession and drunkenness.

We have served 24 summonses for out of town police and we are sorry to report that there have been two deaths by automobile within the Town during the year.

In the absence of any report from the State Police I do not know how many have been arrested in this town by the State Constabulary.

An officer has been on duty nights at Lynnfield for the entire year and in April an officer was appointed for duty nights at Lynnfield Centre. These officers have also done some traffic duty on Saturday afternoons, Sundays and Holidays.

The Lynn Police have been very helpful in several instances.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT G. TEDFORD,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF MOTH DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: The last two years we have carried on extensive wood land creosoting in large infestations which were located on Walnut Street near the pond which consists of about 85 acres and Salem Street to the Turnpike which consists of 125 acres. These colonies were rough creosoted and then followed up with spraying when it was possible to reach the infestation with hose lines.

This work is carried on under the Supervision of the State and is working out to great advantage.

General conditions in the Centre part of the Town are very good with very light infestations, which are gone over yearly.

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN H. TWISS,
Superintendent of Moth Dept.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: The usual Spring cleaning of the gutters and streets was done.

There were a number of places broken up by the frost and travel: six on Summer Street; two on Walnut Street; two on Main Street; one on Chestnut Street and three on Lowell Street. There was a stretch on Lowell Street of about one hundred and fifty feet of loam and clay removed and relaid with stone and gravel. We also rebuilt about five hundred feet on Summer Street between Walnut Street and Billy's Dew Drop Inn, which has broken up for a number of years during the Spring thaws.

Essex Street was graded from the residence of Daniel Smith to the residence of Mr. Coldwell. This was about the worst place in Town. The rest of the Street was scarified and relaid with two coats of oil. One coat of oil on Essex Street in 1930 will make it pretty good.

Nearly all of the streets received a coat of oil or tarvia during the year. One catch basin was put in on Fairview Avenue and I hope to put in four more in different parts of the Town during 1930.

I would recommend that a sidewalk program be started and a little done each year.

I think that the Town should buy a gasoline roller of about eight or ten tons with a scarifier attached. The present roller is too light.

A storage shed was built during the year and will enable us to keep our tools and equipment under cover.

Respectfully submitted,

MINOT H. CARTER,

Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith respectfully submit my annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1929.

The Department has responded to sixty alarms, seven of which were false. Six alarms were for building fires, forty-seven were for brush, forest and telephone calls a few of which were needless.

I hope to have a report and also some recommendations to make at the Annual Town Meeting which I trust will be of interest to the tax payers.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM W. MOXHAM,

Chief.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1929:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----|
| Platform scales over 5,000 lbs. | 3 |
| Platform scales under 5,000 lbs. | 8 |
| Counter scales | 4 |
| Spring balances | 10 |
| Computing scales, platform | 8 |
| Weights, avoirdupois | 42 |
| Weights, apothecary | 25 |
| Liquid measures | 92 |
| Gasoline pumps | 24 |
| Gasoline quantity stops | 131 |
| Gasoline pumps condemned | 1 |
| Gasoline pumps adjusted | 15 |
| Scales adjusted | 8 |

Total fees collected, \$29.20.

Respectfully submitted,

MINOT H. CARTER,

Sealer.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1929.

I have inspected thirty-two barns in the Town where animals are kept and found all in very good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. BRYANT,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1929.

I have killed seventy-two stray and unlicensed dogs. We have had a few cases of rabies but were fortunate that no serious cases developed.

There seems to be an increasing number of dogs abandoned each year that have to be disposed of.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. BRYANT,

Dog Constable.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1929.

As there has been no slaughtering in the Town during the year I have had no inspections to make.

Monthly reports have been filed at the State House according to law.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. BRYANT,
Inspector of Slaughtering.

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: In submitting my annual report for the year 1929, would say that seventy-one (71) permits have been issued from this office during the year, dating from January 1st to December 31st. Fees for the same received and duly turned in to the Town Treasurer.

I avail myself of this opportunity to express my appreciation of and tender my thanks for your confidence and valuable assistance and encouragement all through my term of service as Inspector, especially at the beginning when many obstacles and difficulties attendant on all pioneer work, were encountered.

Again thanking you, I am,

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE T. D. BARNJUM,
Building Inspector.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Showing Receipts and Expenditures of the Town

For the Year Ending December 31, 1929

also

Reports of Trust Funds

Taxes Outstanding

Cash in Hand, Etc.

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

RECEIPTS FOR 1929

Cash on hand January 1, 1929 ... \$ 11,607.16

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes

From F. W. Freeman, Collector of Taxes

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| Property Tax of 1927..... | \$ 197.97 | |
| Poll Tax of 1928..... | 6.00 | |
| Property Tax of 1928 | 17,301.49 | |
| Moth Tax of 1928 | 8.50 | |
| Property Tax December 1928 | | |
| Assessment | 1.74 | |
| Poll Tax of 1929 | 942.00 | |
| Property Tax of 1929 | 51,786.51 | |
| Moth Tax of 1929 | 21.50 | |
| Automobile Excise Tax of 1929 | 5,009.07 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 75,274.78 |

From the State

| | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| Corporation | \$ 1,544.50 | |
| Bank | 288.00 | |
| Income | 11,255.60 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 13,088.10 |

Licenses and Permits

| | | |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Licenses | \$ 159.00 | |
| Permits | 3.00 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 162.00 |

Fines and Forfeits

| | | |
|---------------------|-----------|--|
| Peabody Court | \$ 240.00 | |
|---------------------|-----------|--|

Grants and Gifts

From the State for Education:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| High School Transportation.... | \$ 3,552.21 | |
| Industrial School | 43.50 | |
| Union Superintendency..... | 382.53 | |
| From County, Dog Licenses..... | 184.31 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 4,162.55 |

Other General Revenue

| | | |
|------------------------|---------|--|
| Tax Certificates | \$ 5.00 | |
|------------------------|---------|--|

Total General Revenue Receipts \$ 92,932.43

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

General Government

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|-----------|
| Rent of Town Hall | \$ | 166.00 | |
| Rent of Hall, Precinct 2 | | 65.00 | |
| Refunds | | 1.20 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 232.20 |

Protection of Persons and Property

| | | | |
|--|----|-------------------|-----------|
| Inspection of Buildings, Permits | \$ | 71.00 | |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | | 29.20 | |
| Forestry—Insect pest extermination | | 462.27 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 562.47 |

Highways

| | | | |
|---|----|-------------------|--------------|
| General—Lynn Gas & Electric Company | \$ | 26.00 | |
| C. O. Blood, Highway work.... | | 7.00 | |
| M. H. Carter, Use of tractor... | | 3.00 | |
| State—Rebuilding Main Street. | | 15,196.93 | |
| County—Rebuilding Main St... | | 15,196.93 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 30,429.86 |

Department of Public Welfare

Reimbursements for Mothers' Aid

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|-------------------|-----------|
| City of Lynn | \$ | 520.00 | |
| State | | 104.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 624.00 |

Soldiers' Benefits

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|--------|--|
| State Aid 1928 | \$ | 138.00 | |
|----------------------|----|--------|--|

Schools

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|-----------|
| State—Tuition of children..... | \$ | 344.75 | |
| City of Cambridge—Tuition.... | | 129.48 | |
| Refunds | | 5.13 | |
| Sale of junk | | 1.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 480.36 |

Libraries

| | | | |
|---|----|-------------------|-----------|
| Fines, Main Library | \$ | 26.65 | |
| Fines, Branch Library | | 38.70 | |
| Refund on Insurance, Main Library | | 38.87 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 104.22 |

Total Departmental Revenue \$ 32,571.11

Cemeteries

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|----|-------------------|-----------|
| Sale of Lots, Forest Hill Cem... | \$ | 80.00 | |
| Sale of Lots, Willow Cemetery. | | 100.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 180.00 |

| | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Interest | | |
| On Deposits | \$ 273.29 | |
| On Deferred Taxes | 528.95 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 802.24 |
| Municipal Indebtedness | | |
| Anticipation of Revenue Loans | \$ 80,000.00 | |
| Rebuilding Main Street—Notes | 8,000.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 88,000.00 |
| Trust Funds | | |
| Interest Perpetual Care Funds | \$ 334.75 | |
| Compensation Fund withdrawn | 323.99 | |
| Interest Library Trust Funds... | 296.90 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 955.64 |
| Transfers | | |
| School Department for Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Fund | | \$ 650.25 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Grand Total Receipts | | \$227,698.83 |

PAYMENTS

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

General Government

CREDIT

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Appropriation March 11, 1929, | |
| Article 10 | \$ 7,200.00 |
| Transferred from Reserve Fund for repairs to Chemical Hall | 150.00 |
| Transferred from Reserve Fund for emergency room in Town Hall | 80.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 7,430.00 |

DEBIT

SELECTMEN

Salaries:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Frank C. Newhall, 2 months.... | \$ 27.78 | |
| Ralph E. Cox, 1 year..... | 166.66 | |
| Archie L. Hayward, 10 months | 138.89 | |
| Joseph F. Smith, 10 months.... | 138.89 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 472.22 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|---|-------------------|-------|--------|
| Stationery and Postage..... | \$ | 15.31 | |
| Printing and Advertising..... | | 24.50 | |
| Telephone | | 35.50 | |
| Wards' Greenhouse, floral tribute | | 10.00 | |
| Bourdon Studio, photos..... | | 3.75 | |
| Wm. C. Hunt, typewriter..... | | 22.50 | |
| C. E. Herrick, plan of land deeded from Wakefield | | 25.00 | |
| J. F. Smith, telephone and miscellaneous | | 30.85 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ | 167.41 |

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Salaries:

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| Geo. H. Bancroft, 3 months.... | \$ | 125.00 | |
| Carl H. Russell, 9 months | | 375.00 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ | 500.00 |

Other Expenses

| | | | |
|--|-------------------|--------|--------|
| Hazel M. Phillips, typing copy of Town Report | \$ | 12.00 | |
| Charles Sweetser, delivering Town Reports Prec. 2..... | | 3.50 | |
| E. A. Russell, mailing Town Reports, Prec. 1..... | | 3.42 | |
| Harry A. Simonds, Assistance to Town Accountant | | 49.94 | |
| Wakefield Item Co., printing 700 copies Town Report..... | | 251.00 | |
| C. H. Russell, stationery and supplies | | 1.95 | |
| E. A. Russell, 500 stamped envelopes | | 11.37 | |
| Wakefield Item Co., 300 Treasurer's Warrants | | 16.50 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ | 349.68 |

TREASURER

Salary:

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| F. W. Freeman | \$ | 300.00 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ | 300.00 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--|----|-------------------|-----------|
| E. A. Russell, stamped env.... | \$ | 70.56 | |
| F. W. Freeman, miscellaneous.. | | 24.00 | |
| George W. Abbott, printing tax bills | | 9.75 | |
| Geo. H. Bancroft, treasurer's bond | | 67.50 | |
| Wakefield Trust Co., rent of safe deposit box | | 5.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 176.81 |

COLLECTOR

Salary:

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|-------------------|-----------|
| F. W. Freeman | \$ | 300.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 300.00 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|---|----|-------------------|-----------|
| Geo. H. Bancroft, Collector's bond | \$ | 135.00 | |
| Geo. W. Abbott, tax bills..... | | 11.75 | |
| Wakefield Item Co., letterheads | | 10.50 | |
| F. W. Freeman, miscellaneous.. | | 30.10 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 187.35 |

ASSESSORS

Salaries:

| | | | |
|--|----|-------------------|-----------|
| Wm. W. Moxham, 475 hrs. @ 50c | \$ | 237.50 | |
| Geo. H. Bancroft, 620 hrs. @ 50c | | 310.00 | |
| Everett B. Richards, 450 hrs. @ 50c | | 225.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 772.50 |

Other Expenses:

| | | | |
|--|--|-------------------|-----------|
| Hobbs & Warren, stationery and supplies | | 25.20 | |
| Lilla D. Stott, abstracts of deeds, etc. | | 43.26 | |
| Wm. W. Moxham, telephone and sundries | | 5.60 | |
| Geo. H. Bancroft, telephone and sundries | | 7.00 | |
| Everett B. Richards, telephone and sundries | | 3.60 | |
| Wm. W. Moxham, transportation | | 40.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$ 124.66 |

REGISTRATION OF NOTES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Division of Accounts, registra-
tion of Town Notes

\$ 18.00

LAW DEPARTMENT

Salary:

| | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Rutherford E. Smith, legal serv. | \$ 225.00 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 225.00 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|--|-------------------|---------|
| Recording release on Brook drive | \$ 1.89 | |
| Recording deed from Town of Wakefield | 1.02 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 2.91 |

TOWN CLERK

Salaries:

| | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Viola C. Phillips, 2 months.... | \$ 33.33 | |
| Fred I. Wilkins, 10 months.... | 166.67 | |
| Fred I. Wilkins, recording fees | 44.75 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 244.75 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------|
| Stationery and postage | \$ 15.05 | |
| Printing and advertising | 3.25 | |
| Telephone | 1.65 | |
| Transportation | 2.00 | |
| Carter's Ink Co., Ink | 2.50 | |
| Edgerley & Bessom, death re- turns | .50 | |
| C. F. Hartshorne, town clerk's bond | 5.00 | |
| Viola C. Phillips, express | .45 | |
| J. L. Fairbanks Co., supplies.. | 9.25 | |
| Fred I. Wilkins, miscellaneous.. | 3.76 | |
| Lynn Item, publishing zoning by-laws | 618.58 | |
| Lynn Item, publishing Junk by-law | 16.80 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$ 678.79 |

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT

Salaries: Registrars of Voters

| | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Wm. R. Delamater | 15.00 | |
| Edward A. Russell | 15.00 | |
| Sidney M. Eaton | 15.00 | |
| Fred I. Wilkins, 10 months | 12.50 | |
| | | \$ 57.50 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|--|---------|----------|
| Hazel M. Phillips, typing list of voters | \$ 2.00 | |
| George M. Roundy, supplies.. | .48 | |
| Commonwealth, 1 Register of Voters | 3.75 | |
| Geo. W. Abbott, 500 notices to voters | 4.75 | |
| Fred W. Sweetser, transportation | 1.50 | |
| | | \$ 12.48 |

Salaries: Election Officers

Town Election, March 4, 1929, Precinct 1

| | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|
| Clarence A. Hall | \$ 10.00 | |
| Wm. H. Sheehe | 10.00 | |
| Minot H. Carter | 10.00 | |
| D. J. McCarthy | 10.00 | |
| John Solari | 10.00 | |
| Sidney E. Richards | 10.00 | |
| | | \$ 60.00 |

Town Election, March 4, 1929, Precinct 2

| | | |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|
| Joseph A. Donovan | \$ 10.00 | |
| James D. McNamara | 10.00 | |
| Sidney M. Eaton | 10.00 | |
| Frank L. Delamater | 10.00 | |
| William C. Sparks | 10.00 | |
| William R. Delamater | 10.00 | |
| | | \$ 60.00 |

Recount Library Trustee for 1 year

| | | |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| F. W. Freeman | \$ 2.00 | |
| C. A. Hall..... | 2.00 | |
| C. H. Russell | 2.00 | |
| | | \$ 6.00 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|--|----------|--|
| James D. Stokes, building voting booths | \$ 27.25 | |
| J. B. Blood Co., lunches for election officers | 6.00 | |

| | | |
|--|-------|-----------|
| Donovan Motor Supply Co., lunches for election officers.. | 6.00 | |
| Printing, ballots, warrants, tally sheets, etc..... | 68.75 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, pencils..... | .25 | |
| Albert G. Tedford, police duty at election | 10.00 | |
| Fred W. Bryant, police duty at election | 10.00 | |
| Wm. R. Delamater, transporta- tion | 2.00 | |
| Wm. R. Delamater, telephone.. | 1.00 | |
| | | \$ 131.25 |

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Salary:

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| George T. D. Barnjum | \$ 100.00 |
|----------------------------|-----------|

Other Expenses:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Fred W. Sweetser, transporta- tion | \$ 31.50 |
| George T. D. Barnjum, postage and stationery | 6.80 |
| George T. D. Barnjum, tele- phone tolls | 1.00 |
| | \$ 39.30 |

TOWN HALL

Janitor

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Edward L. Phillips, wages..... | \$ 260.00 |
|--------------------------------|-----------|

Fuel and Light

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Municipal Light Board, Read- ing, lighting | \$ 92.20 |
| Lynn Gas & Electric Co., heat- ing | 736.82 |
| | \$ 829.02 |

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Janitor's supplies | \$ 31.40 |
|--------------------------|----------|

Repairs: Town Hall

| | |
|--|----------|
| Wm. E. Gilson, repairs to pump | \$ 17.55 |
| Lynn G. & E. Co., steam radi- ators | 160.00 |
| C. A. Smith, repairs to roof.... | 4.80 |
| A. O. Marshall, new cement steps | 120.00 |
| A. O. Marshall, repairs to plas- tering | 60.00 |

| | | |
|---|-------|-----------|
| A. O. Marshall, repairs to chimney | 55.00 | |
| Wm. E. Gilson, repairs to light | 1.40 | |
| G. L. Westover, miscellaneous.. | 44.15 | |
| *Wm. W. Moxham, building emergency room | 76.67 | |
| | | \$ 539.57 |

*Transferred from Reserve Fund by Finance Committee.

Insurance

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Dewick & Flanders | \$ 88.20 |
|-------------------------|----------|

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|----------|
| Ideal Song Shop, tuning piano \$ | 7.50 | |
| Fred I. Wilkins, keys for vault | 1.25 | |
| A. J. Rich, repairs to flag | 2.50 | |
| M. A. Fletcher, tuning piano.. | 5.00 | |
| | | \$ 16.25 |

Repairs to Old Town Hall

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| C. A. Smith, repairs to roof.... | \$ 52.52 |
|----------------------------------|----------|

PRECINCT 2 HALL

Janitor

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| L. O. Newhall, wages | \$ 49.00 | |
| James E. Landry, wages..... | 8.50 | |
| Harry F. Griffin, wages..... | 3.75 | |
| Edward W. Pierce, wages | 49.00 | |
| | | \$ 110.25 |

Fuel and Light

| | | |
|--|----------|-----------|
| Peabody Electric Light Plant, lights | \$ 59.49 | |
| Lynn Gas & Electric Co., gas.. | 6.15 | |
| Curley Bros., coal | 47.26 | |
| Geo. W. Pickering Co., coal.... | 43.50 | |
| | | \$ 156.40 |

| | |
|--------------------------|---------|
| Janitor's Supplies | \$ 8.53 |
|--------------------------|---------|

Repairs

| | | |
|--|---------|--|
| W. W. Moxham, labor and supplies | \$ 9.39 | |
| A. L. Hayward, pipe and fittings | 1.98 | |
| Daniel Lamont, repairs to clock | 7.00 | |
| Frank C. Newhall, repairs to flag | 4.00 | |
| L. H. Twiss, putting new rope in flag pole | 5.00 | |
| J. Wallace Grace Co., rope for flag pole | 1.35 | |

| | | |
|---|--------|-----------|
| *Wm. Delamater, painting hall inside | 150.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 178.72 |

*Transferred from Reserve Fund by Finance Committee.

Insurance:

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|
| Raymond C. Daly | \$ 96.75 | |
| Louis B. Tuck | 36.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 132.75 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| Geo. H. Jacobs Co., flag..... | \$ 12.00 | |
| Lynnfield Water District, water charges | 6.75 | |
| M. H. Carter, removing ashes.. | 7.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 25.75 |

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|------------------------------|-------------|--|
| Total Payments | \$ 7,415.97 | |
| Balance to Overlay Reserve.. | 14.03 | |

| | | |
|-------|-------------|-------------|
| <hr/> | \$ 7,430.00 | \$ 7,430.00 |
| <hr/> | | |

SUMMARY

GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

| | Salaries | Expenses | Total |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Selectmen | \$ 472.22 | \$ 167.41 | \$ 639.63 |
| Town Accountant | 500.00 | 349.68 | 849.68 |
| Treasurer | 300.00 | 176.81 | 476.81 |
| Collector | 300.00 | 187.35 | 487.35 |
| Assessors | 772.50 | 124.66 | 897.16 |
| Registration of Notes | | 18.00 | 18.00 |
| Town Counsel | 225.00 | 2.91 | 227.91 |
| Town Clerk | 244.75 | 678.79 | 923.54* |
| Registrars of Voters | 57.50 | 12.48 | 69.98 |
| Elections | 126.00 | 131.25 | 257.25 |
| Building Inspector | 100.00 | 39.30 | 139.30 |
| Town Hall | 260.00 | 1,504.44 | 1,764.44 |
| Hall, Precinct 2 | 110.25 | 502.15 | 612.40 |
| Old Town Hall | | 52.52 | 52.52 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Totals | \$3,468.22 | \$3,947.75 | \$7,415.97 |

* Includes \$635.38 non-recurring expense.

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 11

\$ 4,750.00

DEBIT

Salaries:

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Albert G. Tedford, chief..... | \$ 436.00 |
| Fred W. Bryant, patrolman.... | 2,047.14 |
| Lewis F. Pope, patrolman..... | 1,345.00 |
| Josiah Poeton, special duty.... | 12.00 |
| John M. Lynch, special duty.. | 5.00 |
| Edgar Brown, special duty.... | 6.00 |
| H. C. Pierce, special duty..... | 5.00 |
| Lewis F. Pope, special duty.... | 10.25 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 3,866.39 |

Transportation:

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Lewis F. Pope, auto hire..... | \$ 4.50 |
|-------------------------------|---------|

Equipment for Men:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Lake Erie-Anakin Co., billies, etc. | \$ 87.00 |
|---|----------|

Other Expenses:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Frank E. Russell, lanterns..... | \$ 11.25 |
| Dr. J. P. H. Murphy, examina- tion of prisoner | 3.00 |
| Louis Burke, food for prisoners | 1.50 |
| Louis F. Pope, kerosene for lanterns | 1.00 |
| D. J. Manning, food for prisoners | 4.75 |
| M. H. Carter, installing signs.. | 7.20 |
| Dyar Sales and M'c'hy Co., signs | 20.00 |
| A. G. Tedford, telephone..... | 5.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 53.70 |
| Total Payments | \$ 4,011.59 |
| Balance to Revenue | 738.41 |

| | | |
|-------|-------------|-------------|
| <hr/> | \$ 4,750.00 | \$ 4,750.00 |
|-------|-------------|-------------|

FIRE DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 15 | \$ 4,100.00 |
| Transferred from Reserve Fund by Finance Committee | 204.85 |
| Appropriation for Hydrant Rental, Article 16 | 1,125.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 5,429.85 |

DEBIT

Salaries and Wages:

Administrative

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Wm. W. Moxham, Chief..... | \$ 100.00 | |
| Forest E. Ross, Supt. of Fire Alarm, 9 months | 56.25 | |
| Forest E. Ross, Mechanic, 9 months | 45.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 201.25 |

House 1 Call Men

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Carl I. Cheever, Captain | \$ 75.00 | |
| Minot H. Carter, Lieutenant .. | 50.00 | |
| Chas. W. Pratt | 35.00 | |
| Chas. M. Pratt | 35.00 | |
| Raymond Pearson | 35.00 | |
| Leon Pearson | 35.00 | |
| Dana Sweetser | 35.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 300.00 |

House 2 Call Men

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Wm. H. Griffin, Captain | \$ 75.00 | |
| Jos. A. Donovan, Lieutenant .. | 50.00 | |
| Harold F. Kaler | 35.00 | |
| H. F. Griffin | 35.00 | |
| Albert Newhall | 35.00 | |
| George Carder | 35.00 | |
| Wesley W. Munroe | 35.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 300.00 |

Other Payrolls including care of
equipment, overtime at fires, etc.

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| House No. 1 | \$ 329.23 | |
| House No. 2 | 531.65 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 860.88 |

Fire Permits

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|-------|-------|
| A. G. Tedford | \$ | 2.00 | |
| M. H. Carter | | 12.40 | |
| Wm. W. Moxham | | 11.30 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | \$ | | 25.70 |

Grand Total Salaries and Wages, \$1,687.83.

Equipment

| | | | |
|---|----|-------|-------|
| Am. Fire Equip. Co., canvas cover | \$ | 8.66 | |
| Am. Fire Equip. Co., acid receptacles, etc. | | 22.50 | |
| Carl I. Cheever, pails | | 2.50 | |
| Am. Fire Equip. Co., 1 chemical tank nozzle | | 15.20 | |
| Josiah Poeton, 1 measure..... | | 3.00 | |
| Wm. W. Moxham, water pails.. | | 1.60 | |
| Josiah Poeton, jack for locomobile | | 9.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | \$ | | 62.46 |

Maintenance and Repairs

| | | | |
|---|----|----------|----------|
| Tires and tubes | \$ | 64.69 | |
| Repairs to equipment | | 1,209.08 | |
| Gasoline and Oil | | 74.08 | |
| Fire Alarm, Boxes, etc..... | | 752.02 | |
| Lynnfield Water District, water charges | | 6.75 | |
| Josiah Poeton, battery charger | | 12.50 | |
| J. W. Harvey, soda and supplies | | 31.72 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, soda and sup. | | 25.45 | |
| A. H. Whidden & Son, 4 car-boys Vitrol | | 21.88 | |
| Miscellaneous | | 9.74 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | \$ | | 2,207.91 |

Hydrant Rental

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----|----------|
| Lynnfield Water District | \$ | 1,125.00 |
|--------------------------------|----|----------|

Fuel and Light

| | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|
| Municipal Light Board, House 1 | \$ | 10.41 | |
| Geo. W. Pickering, Coal, House 1 | | 29.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | \$ | | 39.41 |
| Curley Bros., Coal, House 2.... | | 47.24 | |
| Geo. W. Pickering, Coal, House 2 | | 43.50 | |
| Peabody Electric Light Plant, House 2 | | 39.20 | |
| Lynn Gas & Elec. Co., House 2 | | .50 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | \$ | | 130.44 |

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds

Repairs

J. W. Grace Co., Repairs to
heater, House No. 1..... \$ 43.85

Janitor Service

M. H. Carter, House No. 1.... 25.00
\$ 68.85

L. O. Newhall, House No. 2.... 30.00

Ed. Pierce, House No. 2..... 15.00

M. H. Carter, removing ashes,
House No. 2 7.00
\$ 52.00

Other Expenses

Telephone, House No. 1..... \$ 25.25

Telephone, House No. 2..... 6.90

W. W. Moxham, telephone tolls 8.95

Miscellaneous 14.85
\$ 55.95

Total Payments \$ 5,429.85 \$ 5,429.85

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

CREDIT

Appropriation Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 11 \$ 150.00

DEBIT

Salary

Minot H. Carter..... \$ 75.00

Other Expenses

Minot H. Carter, transportation 25.00

Hobbs & Warren, seals, dies, etc. 17.97
Total Payments \$ 117.97

Balance to Revenue 32.03
\$ 150.00 \$ 150.00

MOTH DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

Appropriation Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 20 \$ 1,354.57

Appropriation Mar. 11, 1929, (Private
Work) Article 26..... 700.00

Appropriation Mar. 11, 1929 (Satin
Moth) Article 29 25.00
\$ 2,079.57

DEBIT

Labor: as per payrolls

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| L. H. Twiss | \$ 540.30 | |
| E. D. Evans | 494.00 | |
| E. W. Savage..... | 94.00 | |
| C. V. Sweetser | 100.00 | |
| W. E. Wilkinson, Jr..... | 46.00 | |
| George Badaracco | 22.00 | |
| | | \$ 1,296.30 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|---|--------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss, auto and truck hire | 359.25 | |
| E. W. Savage, truck hire..... | 112.00 | |
| C. V. Sweetser, express | 7.00 | |
| Barry's Garage, battery | 2.25 | |
| James A. Roome, repairs to sprayer | 12.00 | |
| W. E. Wilkinson, Jr., horse hire | 57.50 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, gasoline, oil and supplies | 11.85 | |
| J. W. Harvey, gasoline and sup. | 7.50 | |
| L. H. Twiss, postage, telephone and gasoline | 4.40 | |
| | | \$ 573.75 |

Total Payments \$ 1,870.05

Balance to Revenue 209.52

\$ 2,079.57 \$ 2,079.57

TREE WARDEN

CREDIT

Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 28 \$ 400.00

DEBIT

Labor, as per payrolls:

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss | \$ 155.00 | |
| E. D. Evans | 150.00 | |
| | | \$ 305.00 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| L. H. Twiss, truck hire | \$ 88.75 | |
| L. H. Twiss, tree paint | 1.25 | |
| W. F. White, filing saws..... | 5.00 | |
| | | \$ 95.00 |

Total payments \$ 400.00 \$ 400.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION

CREDIT

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 11 | \$ | 75.00 |
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 11 | | 75.00 |
| | \$ | 150.00 |

DEBIT

Salary Board of Health:

| | | |
|------------------------------|----|-------|
| F. C. Newhall, 2 months..... | \$ | 1.37 |
| Ralph E. Cox, 1 year | | 8.33 |
| Archie L. Hayward, 10 months | | 6.96 |
| Joseph F. Smith, 10 months.. | | 6.96 |
| | \$ | 23.62 |

Other Expenses:

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--|------|
| Lewis F. Pope, burying dog | | 1.00 |
|---------------------------------|--|------|

Inspector of Milk:

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|
| Dana Sweetser, salary | | 25.00 |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|

Inspector of Animals:

| | | |
|------------------------------|----|-------|
| Arthur Bryant, Salary..... | \$ | 50.00 |
| Arthur Bryant, expenses..... | | 5.00 |
| | \$ | 55.00 |

| | | |
|----------------------|----|--------|
| Total Payments | \$ | 104.62 |
|----------------------|----|--------|

| | | |
|--------------------------|--|-------|
| Balance to Revenue | | 45.38 |
|--------------------------|--|-------|

| | | | |
|----|--------|----|--------|
| \$ | 150.00 | \$ | 150.00 |
|----|--------|----|--------|

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | | |
|--|----|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 9 | \$ | 13,000.00 |
| Transferred from Overlay Reserve, Nov. 15, 1929, Article 4..... | | 300.00 |
| | \$ | 13,300.00 |

DEBIT

General Expenses:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----|----------|
| Labor, as per payrolls..... | \$ | 4,564.14 |
| Trucks, teams, etc..... | | 2,901.51 |
| Broken stone, gravel, etc..... | | 1,080.78 |
| Equipment and repairs | | 77.36 |
| Gasoline and motor oil | | 110.70 |
| Tarvia and Road Oil | | 3,527.01 |

Other Miscellaneous Expenses:

| | | | |
|---|----|--------|-----------|
| L. E. Bennett, coal for steam roller | \$ | 45.52 | |
| Lewis F. Pope, rent of gravel pit | | 20.00 | |
| N. E. Metal Culvert Co..... | | 58.80 | |
| Town of North Reading, rent of steam roller | | 140.00 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, paint and supplies | \$ | 7.50 | |
| Curley Bros., coal for steam roller | | 8.00 | |
| Young Sign Studio, street signs | | 6.00 | |
| C. M. White Iron Works, catch basin frame and grate | | 13.00 | |
| M. H. Carter, telephone and express | | 5.65 | |
| All other miscellaneous | | 15.76 | |
| | | | \$ 320.23 |

Total General Expense, \$12,581.73.

Snow Removal

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Labor, as per payrolls..... | \$ | 128.18 | |
| Trucks and teams | | 514.75 | |
| Repairs to Equipment | | 49.12 | |
| Gasoline and oil | | 13.55 | |
| Sand | | 2.00 | |
| | | | \$ 707.60 |

Total Payments \$ 13,289.33

Balance to Overlay Reserve 10.67

| | |
|--------------|--------------|
| \$ 13,300.00 | \$ 13,300.00 |
|--------------|--------------|

REBUILDING MAIN STREET

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance on hand, January 1, 1929.. | \$ 1,102.02 |
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 31 | 10,000.00 |
| Received from State | 15,196.93 |
| Received from County | 15,196.93 |
| | \$ 41,495.88 |

DEBIT

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Payments on 1928 Contract | |
| M. McDonough Co. | \$ 12,104.56 |
| Payments on 1929 Contract | |

| | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| M. McDonough Co. | 28,681.04 | |
| Globe Newspaper Co., advertising for bids | 11.20 | |
| Lynn Evening Item, advertising for bids | 3.90 | |
| Mass. State Prison, catch basin covers and grates | 73.28 | |
| M. H. Carter, labor and truck | 15.00 | |
| M. McDonough Co., trucking... | 25.00 | |
| | | |
| Total Payments | \$ 40,913.98 | |
| Balance unexpended Dec. 31, 1929 | 581.90 | |
| | | |
| | \$ 41,495.88 | \$ 41,495.88 |

TOTAL OF PROJECT FOR 1928 AND 1929

| | Appropriation | Amount Spent | Balance Unexpended |
|--------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|
| State | \$20,000.00 | \$19,393.09 | \$ 606.91 |
| County | 20,000.00 | 19,393.10 | 606.90 |
| Town | 20,000.00 | 19,418.10 | 581.90 |
| | | | |
| Totals | \$60,000.00 | \$58,204.29 | \$1,795.71 |

STREET LIGHTS

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 14 | \$ 3,567.00 |
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 30 | 13.50 |
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 43 | 13.50 |
| | |
| | \$ 3,594.00 |

DEBIT

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Precinct 1 | |
| Town of Reading | \$ 2,127.38 |
| Precinct 2 | |
| City of Peabody | 1,318.52 |
| | |
| Total Payments | \$ 3,445.90 |
| Balance to Revenue..... | 148.10 |
| | |
| | \$ 3,594.00 |
| | \$ 3,594.00 |

MOWING BUSHES ON HIGHWAYS

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 27 | \$ 500.00 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Labor, as per payrolls..... | \$ 491.13 | |
| Other Expenses | | |
| M. H. Carter, Auto hire | \$ 2.50 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, supplies..... | 5.85 | |
| | _____ | \$ 8.35 |
| | | _____ |
| Total Payments | \$ 499.48 | |
| Balance to revenue..... | | .52 |
| | _____ | _____ |
| | \$ 500.00 | \$ 500.00 |

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 12 | \$ 1,500.00 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|

DEBIT

General Administration

Salary, Board of Public Welfare

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|----------|
| F. C. Newhall, 2 months..... | \$ 4.17 | |
| Ralph E. Cox, 1 year | 25.00 | |
| Archie L. Hayward, 10 months.. | 20.83 | |
| Joseph F. Smith, 10 months.... | 20.83 | |
| | _____ | \$ 70.83 |

Outside Relief by Town

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Board and Care | \$ 25.71 | |
| State Institutions | 324.00 | |
| Transportation, City of Peabody | 20.00 | |
| | _____ | \$ 369.71 |

| | |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Relief by Other Cities and Towns.. | \$ 62.60 |
|------------------------------------|----------|

Mothers' Aid

| | | |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| By Town | \$ 10.00 | |
| By Other Cities and Towns .. | 288.00 | |
| | _____ | \$ 298.00 |

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------|
| Total payments | \$ 801.14 | |
| Balance to Revenue | | 698.86 |
| | _____ | _____ |

| | |
|-------------|-------------|
| \$ 1,500.00 | \$ 1,500.00 |
|-------------|-------------|

STATE AID

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|-------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 19 | | \$ | 96.00 |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|-------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-------|----------|
| Payments due from Commonwealth | \$ | 96.00 | |
| | | | |
| | \$ | 96.00 | \$ 96.00 |

EDUCATION

*School Department

CREDIT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|----|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 8 | | \$ | 38,345.00 |
| Refund overpayment | | | 4.50 |
| | | | |
| | | \$ | 38,349.50 |

DEBIT

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----|-----------|--------------|
| Payments for 1929 | \$ | 37,504.18 | |
| Balance to Revenue | | 845.32 | |
| | | | |
| | \$ | 38,349.50 | \$ 38,349.50 |

*For itemized account see report of School Committee.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 23 | | \$ | 900.00 |
| Refund of Dog Tax, County of Essex | | | 184.31 |
| Income Blake Library Fund | | | 210.00 |
| Income Nash Library Fund | | | 50.00 |
| Income Hawkes Library Fund | | | 22.50 |
| Income Clough Library Fund | | | 14.40 |
| | | | |
| | | \$ | 1,381.21 |

DEBIT

Salaries and Wages:

Main Library

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----|--------|
| Elizabeth W. Green, librarian.. | \$ | 182.00 |
| Seth H. Russell, janitor | | 92.00 |

Branch Library

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Gertrude A. Chipman, librarian | 182.00 |
| Gertrude A. Chipman, janitor | 57.50 |

| | | |
|--|----|--------|
| | \$ | 513.50 |
|--|----|--------|

Books, Periodicals, etc.:

Main Library

| | | |
|-------------------|----|--------|
| Books | \$ | 170.14 |
| Periodicals | | 15.25 |

Branch Library

| | | |
|-------------------|----|--------|
| Books | \$ | 190.89 |
| Periodicals | | 20.65 |

 \$ 396.93

Binding:

| | | |
|-------------|----|-------|
| Books | \$ | 83.20 |
|-------------|----|-------|

Fuel and Light

Main Library

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----|-------|
| Percy N. Sweetser, coal | \$ | 17.00 |
| W. E. Wilkinson, Jr., wood.... | | 18.00 |
| E. L. Phillips, wood | | 2.00 |
| Municipal Light Board, lights . | | 18.89 |

Branch Library

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|-------|
| Lynn Gas & Electric Co., heat | \$ | 22.48 |
| Peabody Elec. Light Plant, lights | | 5.75 |

 \$ 84.12

Buildings

Repairs and Furnishings

Main Library:

| | | |
|--|----|-------|
| Hutchinson Hardware Co., wire mat | \$ | 3.00 |
| J. W. Grace Co., repairs to stove | | 8.65 |
| H. E. Todd, recovering window screens | | 14.85 |

Branch Library:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--|-------|
| J. W. Harvey, shellac | | .67 |
| W. C. Whittredge Co., cement.. | | 9.75 |
| H. E. Maynard, labor | | 39.00 |
| Mollie Nugent, shingles..... | | 1.00 |

 \$ 76.92

Other Expenses

Main Library

| | | |
|--|----|--------|
| W. I. Olmsted, express | \$ | .25 |
| R. C. Daly, insurance | | 106.80 |
| Filing Equipment Bureau, sup. | | 5.59 |
| Geo. H. Bancroft, insurance... | | 25.12 |
| Elizabeth W. Green, express, postage and supplies | | 3.35 |
| Geo. M. Roundy, janitor's sup. | | 2.70 |
| Pearson Bros., care of lawn.... | | 6.00 |

Branch Library

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|----|----------|
| Gertrude A. Chipman, supplies | 2.14 | | |
| Gertrude A. Chipman, postage | 2.00 | | |
| J. W. Harvey, electric lights.... | 1.20 | | |
| | | \$ | 155.15 |
| Total Payment | | \$ | 1,309.82 |
| Balance to revenue | | | 71.39 |
| | | \$ | 1,381.21 |
| | | \$ | 1,381.21 |

PARK DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 25 \$ 600.00

DEBIT

Labor:

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss | \$ | 12.25 | |
| Newell O. Whitney | | 35.20 | |
| E. Q. Moulton | | 26.50 | |
| Ralph E. Cox | | 159.00 | |
| H. B. Nesbitt | | 70.00 | |
| Pearson Bros. | | 18.00 | |
| J. F. Stokes | | 46.00 | |
| | | | \$ 366.95 |

Loam

| | | | |
|--------------------|--|-------|--|
| Ralph E. Cox | | 60.00 | |
|--------------------|--|-------|--|

Other Expenses

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|----|-------|-----------|
| L. H. Twiss, truck hire..... | \$ | 2.00 | |
| Ralph E. Cox, teams | | 71.88 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, supplies..... | | 2.25 | |
| A. H. Packard, sharpening | | | |
| horse lawn-mower | | 14.36 | |
| E. Q. Moulton, nails and paint.. | | 1.05 | |
| A. F. Clark Lumber Co., lumber | | 62.59 | |
| Miscellaneous | | 15.18 | |
| | | | \$ 169.31 |

Total Payments 596.26

Balance to revenue 3.74

\$ 600.00 \$ 600.00

COUNTY CHARGES

CREDIT

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Assessment by County of Essex.... | | \$ 5,418.42 |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Paid County Treasurer | 5,418.42 | |
| | <u>\$ 5,418.42</u> | <u>\$ 5,418.42</u> |

STATE CHARGES

CREDIT

| | | |
|--|--------|-------------|
| Assessment for State Tax | | \$ 3,570.00 |
| Assessment, Repairs to State High-ways | 420.00 | |
| Assessment, Snow Removal | 53.00 | |
| Assessment, Failure to make returns | 23.00 | |
| Assessment, Veterans' Exemption.. | 9.48 | |
| Assessment, Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth | .07 | |
| Assessment, National Bank Tax 1927 | .11 | |
| Assessment, National Bank Tax 1928 | .01 | |

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| | <u>\$ 4,075.67</u> |
|--|--------------------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Paid State Treasurer | \$ 4,075.67 | |
| | <u>\$ 4,075.67</u> | <u>\$ 4,075.67</u> |

*MEMORIAL DAY

CREDIT

| | | |
|--|--|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 7 | | \$ 200.00 |
|--|--|-----------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Paid American Legion, Post 131.... | \$ 200.00 | |
| | <u>\$ 200.00</u> | <u>\$ 200.00</u> |

*For itemized account see report of Memorial Day Committee.

ESSEX COUNTY SANITARIUM MAINTENANCE

CREDIT

| | | |
|---|--|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 21 | | \$ 731.46 |
|---|--|-----------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Paid County Treasurer | \$ 731.46 | |
| | <u>\$ 731.46</u> | <u>\$ 731.46</u> |

ESSEX COUNTY SANITARIUM SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION TAX

CREDIT

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|----|--------|
| Transferred from Reserve Fund .. | | \$ | 584.93 |
|----------------------------------|--|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Paid County Treasurer | \$ | 584.93 | |
| | \$ | 584.93 | \$ 584.93 |

TOWN HALL SEATS

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|--------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 32 | | \$ | 375.00 |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|--------|-----------|
| Paid Heywood-Wakefield Co..... | \$ | 375.00 | |
| | \$ | 375.00 | \$ 375.00 |

REPAIRS TO CHEMICAL HOUSE NO. 1

CREDIT

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|--------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 37 | | \$ | 150.00 |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|--------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|--|----|--------|-----------|
| Expenses | | | |
| Carl I. Cheever, labor and sup. | \$ | 8.71 | |
| A. O. Marshall, tearing down and rebuilding chimneys..... | | 95.00 | |
| J. Wallace Grace Co., repairs to heating equipment | | 19.80 | |
| Total Payments | \$ | 123.51 | |
| Balance to Revenue | | 26.49 | |
| | \$ | 150.00 | \$ 150.00 |

TOWN HALL STORAGE SHED

CREDIT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|----|----------|
| Appropriation Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 42 | | \$ | 1,200.00 |
|--------------------------------------|--|----|----------|

DEBIT

| | | | |
|---|----|--------|--|
| Expenses | | | |
| Labor and trucks, as per pay- rolls | \$ | 300.25 | |
| A. O. Marshall, laying cement blocks | \$ | 101.60 | |

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| A. O. Marshall, lime | 4.00 | |
| Wakefield Concrete Block Co., cement and cement blocks | 200.72 | |
| Geo. M. Roundy, supplies..... | .60 | |
| W. E. Wilkinson, Jr., 73 loads gravel @ 25c | 18.25 | |
| Wm. E. Knox, Cement | 11.00 | |
| Wm. W. Moxham, lumber, labor and fittings | 563.58 | |
| Total Payments | \$ 1,200.00 | \$ 1,200.00 |

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND CREDIT

| | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Treasurer's Receipts from School Department | | \$ 650.25 |
| DEBIT | | |
| Paid Mass. Teachers' Retirement Fund Association | \$ 650.25 | |
| | \$ 650.25 | \$ 650.25 |

REPAIRS TO BRANCH LIBRARY CREDIT

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 24 | | \$ 350.00 |
| DEBIT | | |
| Labor: | | |
| H. E. Maynard | \$ 102.00 | |
| J. F. Stokes | 168.20 | |
| | \$ 270.20 | |
| Other Expenses | | |
| Palmer Concrete Products Co., concrete blocks | \$ 26.53 | |
| Guilford Lumber Co., lumber.. | 21.73 | |
| W. C. Whittredge & Co., lime and cement | 10.50 | |
| E. M. Fletcher, sand and stone | 21.00 | |
| | \$ 79.76 | |
| Total Payments | \$ 349.96 | |
| Balance to Revenue | .04 | |
| | \$ 350.00 | \$ 350.00 |

TOWN SURVEY

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 34 | \$ 500.00 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Paid Morse & Dickinson | | |
| Assessors' Plats and Services .. | \$ 500.00 | |
| | <u>500.00</u> | <u>500.00</u> |

RESERVE FUND

CREDIT

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Transferred from Overlay Reserve | | |
| March 11, 1929, Article 13.... | | \$ 1,500.00 |

DEBIT

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Transfers to General Government.. | \$ 230.00 | |
| Transferred to Essex Co. Sanitarium | | |
| Special Construction Tax..... | 584.93 | |
| Transferred to Fire Department.. | 204.85 | |
| | <u>1,019.78</u> | |
| Total transfers | \$ 1,019.78 | |
| Balance transferred to | | |
| Overlay Reserve | 480.22 | |
| | <u>1,500.00</u> | <u>1,500.00</u> |

PLANNING BOARD

CREDIT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 39 | \$ 100.00 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|

DEBIT

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expenses | | |
| Wakefield Item Co., Zoning | | |
| Laws and Map | \$ 49.00 | |
| Morse & Dickinson, Corrections | | |
| on Zoning Map | 20.34 | |
| Wakefield Item Co., plate of | | |
| Zoning Map | 7.25 | |
| | <u>76.59</u> | |
| Total Payments | \$ 76.59 | |
| Balance to Revenue | 23.41 | |
| | <u>100.00</u> | <u>100.00</u> |

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

CREDIT

Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 22 \$ 800.00

DEBIT

Labor:

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Seth H. Russell | \$ 190.86 | |
| Wm. E. Roundy | 165.25 | |
| Charles M. Pratt | 28.00 | |
| Herbert E. Todd | 3.00 | |
| Daniel J. McCarthy | 6.00 | |
| Fred Gray | 15.00 | |
| Arthur Bryant | 50.00 | |
| As per payrolls | 78.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 536.11 |

Other Expenses

| | | |
|---|----------|-----------|
| Loam and Gravel | \$ 10.00 | |
| Tools | 43.69 | |
| Teams | 87.62 | |
| Arthur Bryant, plank to cover well | 5.00 | |
| D. F. Parker, cement and paint | 1.20 | |
| C. B. Dodge Co., weed killer.. | 14.50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 162.01 |

| | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Total Payments | \$ 698.12 |
| Balance to Revenue | 101.88 |

| | |
|-----------|-----------|
| \$ 800.00 | \$ 800.00 |
|-----------|-----------|

INTEREST

CREDIT

Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 17 \$ 2,700.00

DEBIT

Temporary Loans

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Wakefield Trust Co..... | \$ 1,395.21 |
|-------------------------|-------------|

General Loans

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Wakefield Trust Co. | 1,172.50 |
|--------------------------|----------|

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Total Payments | \$ 2,567.71 |
| Balance to Revenue | 132.29 |

| | |
|-------------|-------------|
| \$ 2,700.00 | \$ 2,700.00 |
|-------------|-------------|

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS
TEMPORARY LOANS

CREDIT

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Balance Outstanding, Jan. 1, 1929.. | \$ 10,000.00 |
| Anticipation of Revenue | |
| From Wakefield Trust Co..... | 80,000.00 |
| | <u> </u> |
| | \$ 90,000.00 |

DEBIT

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Payments to Wakefield Trust Co... | \$ 70,000.00 | |
| Balance outstanding, Dec. | | |
| 31, 1929 | 20,000.00 | |
| | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| | \$ 90,000.00 | \$ 90,000.00 |

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

CREDIT

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Withdrawn from Compensation | |
| Fund | \$ 323.99 |
| Withdrawn from Cemetery Trust | |
| Funds | 334.75 |
| | <u> </u> |
| | \$ 658.74 |

DEBIT

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Compensation Fund | |
| Harold Kaler | \$ 300.00 |
| Elmer A. Smith, supplies for | |
| Pierce and Kaler | 12.74 |
| Donovan Motor Supply Co., | |
| supplies for Pierce | 8.25 |
| F. W. Freeman, services | 3.00 |
| | <u> </u> |
| | \$ 323.99 |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | |
| For perpetual care of lots | |
| Geo. H. Bancroft | \$ 75.00 |
| Arthur Bryant | 59.00 |
| Seth H. Russell | 196.50 |
| Mabel Savage | 4.25 |
| | <u> </u> |
| | \$ 334.75 |
| | <u> </u> |
| Total Payments | \$ 658.74 |
| | <u> </u> |
| | \$ 658.74 |

MATURING DEBT

CREDIT

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| Appropriation, Mar. 11, 1929, Art. 18 | \$ 5,226.06 |
| Transferred from Essex County Sanitarium Fund, March 11, 1929, Article 18..... | 1,773.94 |
| | <u>\$ 7,000.00</u> |

DEBIT

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| Payment 1929 on Centre School Loan | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Payment 1929 on Town Hall Addition | 2,000.00 |
| Payment 1929 on Essex County Sanitarium | 2,000.00 |
| Payment 1929 on Rebuilding Main Street | 2,000.00 |
| | <u>\$ 7,000.00</u> |
| | <u>\$ 7,000.00</u> |

GRAND SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

| | |
|---|--------------------|
| Salaries, expenses and care of municipal buildings | \$ 7,415.97 |
| Town Hall Seats | 375.00 |
| Town Hall Storage Shed | 1,200.00 |
| Town Survey | 500.00 |
| | <u>\$ 9,490.97</u> |

Total General Government

Protection of Persons and Property:

| | |
|--|---------------------|
| Police Department | \$ 4,011.59 |
| Fire Department, Inc., hydrant rental | 5,429.85 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 117.97 |
| Moth Department | 1,870.05 |
| Tree Warden | 400.00 |
| Repairs to Chemical House 1 | 123.51 |
| | <u>\$ 11,952.97</u> |

Total

Health and Sanitation:

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Board of Health | \$ 24.62 |
| Inspector of Milk | 25.00 |
| Inspector of Animals | 55.00 |

| | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Essex Co., Sanitarium Main-tenance | 731.46 | |
| Essex Co., Sanitarium Con-struction Tax | 584.93 | |
| Total | | \$ 1,421.01 |
| Highways: | | |
| General Administration | \$ 12,581.73 | |
| Rebuilding Main Street | 40,913.98 | |
| Snow and Ice Removal..... | 707.60 | |
| Street Lights | 3,445.90 | |
| Mowing Bushes | 499.48 | |
| Total | | \$ 58,148.69 |
| Department of Public Welfare | | \$ 801.14 |
| State Aid | | 96.00 |
| Education: | | |
| Schools | \$ 37,504.18 | |
| Libraries | 1,309.82 | |
| Repairs to Branch Library..... | 349.96 | |
| Total | | \$ 39,163.96 |
| Recreation—Parks | | 596.26 |
| Unclassified: | | |
| Memorial Day | \$ 200.00 | |
| Mass. Teachers' Retirement Fund | 650.25 | |
| Town Planning Board | 76.59 | |
| Total | | \$ 926.84 |
| Cemeteries | | 698.12 |
| Interest | | 2,567.71 |
| Municipal Indebtedness: | | |
| Anticipation Revenue Loans... | \$ 70,000.00 | |
| Notes paid from Revenue..... | 7,000.00 | |
| Total | | \$ 77,000.00 |
| Agency, Trust and Investment: | | |
| Taxes—State | \$ 4,075.67 | |
| Taxes—County | 5,418.42 | |
| Trust Funds—Perpetual Care.. | 334.75 | |
| Trust Funds—Compensation Fd. | 323.99 | |
| Total | | \$ 10,152.83 |
| Grand Total Payments by Treasurer | | \$213,016.50 |

| | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Balance Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1929 | | |
| Revenue | \$ 14,100.43 | |
| Non-Revenue | 581.90 | \$ 14,682.33 |
| | | <u>\$227,698.83</u> |

DETAIL OF BALANCE SHEET ACCOUNTS

Assets

TAXES DECEMBER 1927 ASSESSMENT

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929..... | \$ 5.54 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929..... | | \$ 5.54 |
| | <u>\$ 5.54</u> | <u>\$ 5.54</u> |

TAXES, PROPERTY 1927

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Outstanding, Jan. 1, 1929..... | \$ 390.80 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector..... | | \$ 197.97 |
| Abatements by Assessors..... | | 17.45 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929..... | | 175.38 |
| | <u>\$ 390.80</u> | <u>\$ 390.80</u> |

TAXES, POLL 1927

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929..... | \$ 2.00 | |
| Abatement by Assessors | | \$ 2.00 |
| | <u>\$ 2.00</u> | <u>\$ 2.00</u> |

TAXES, POLL 1928

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1928..... | \$ 18.00 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector | | 6.00 |
| Abatements 1928 Credited Property | | |
| Tax in error | | 12.00 |
| | <u>\$ 18.00</u> | <u>\$ 18.00</u> |

TAXES, PROPERTY 1928

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1928..... | \$ 19,132.56 | |
| Abatements 1928 of Polls Credited | | |
| this account in error | 12.00 | |

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

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| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Payments 1929 to Collector | \$ 17,301.49 | |
| Abatements by Assessors | 284.33 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | 1,558.74 | |
| | <u>\$ 19,144.56</u> | <u>\$ 19,144.56</u> |

TAXES, MOTH 1928

| | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929..... | \$ 11.75 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector..... | | \$ 8.50 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 3.25 |
| | <u>\$ 11.75</u> | <u>\$ 11.75</u> |

TAXES, DECEMBER 1928 ASSESSMENT

| | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929 | \$ 15.76 | |
| Payment 1929 to Collector | | \$ 1.74 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 14.02 |
| | <u>\$ 15.76</u> | <u>\$ 15.76</u> |

TAXES, POLL 1929

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Commitment | \$ 998.00 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector | | \$ 942.00 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 56.00 |
| | <u>\$ 998.00</u> | <u>\$ 998.00</u> |

TAXES, PROPERTY 1929

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Commitment | \$ 77,438.98 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector | | \$ 51,786.51 |
| Abatements by Assessors | | 371.30 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 25,281.17 |
| | <u>\$ 77,438.98</u> | <u>\$ 77,428.98</u> |

TAXES, MOTH 1929

| | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Commitment | \$ 29.75 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector | | 21.50 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 8.25 |
| | <u>\$ 29.75</u> | <u>\$ 29.75</u> |

TAXES, AUTOMOBILE EXCISE 1929

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Commitments | \$ 7,601.95 | |
| Payments 1929 to Collector | | \$ 5,009.07 |
| Abatements by Assessors | | 462.98 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 2,129.90 |
| | <u>\$ 7,601.95</u> | <u>\$ 7,601.95</u> |

TAX TITLES

| | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929 | \$ 587.72 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | \$ 587.72 |
| | <u>\$ 587.72</u> | <u>\$ 587.72</u> |

STATE AID

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Due from State Jan. 1, 1929 | \$ 138.00 | |
| Payments by Town 1929 | 96.00 | |
| Cash received from State, 1929 | | \$ 138.00 |
| Balance due from State, Dec. 31, '29 | | \$ 96.00 |
| | <u>\$ 234.00</u> | <u>\$ 234.00</u> |

Liabilities

OVERLAY 1927

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 1,910.73 |
| Abatements 1929 by Assessors | \$ 19.45 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | \$ 1,891.28 | |
| | <u>\$ 1,910.73</u> | <u>\$ 1,910.73</u> |

OVERLAY 1928

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 2,279.39 |
| Abatements 1929 by Assessors | \$ 284.33 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | 1,995.06 | |
| | <u>\$ 2,279.39</u> | <u>\$ 2,279.39</u> |

OVERLAY 1929

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Excess Assessment Property | | \$ 1,103.48 |
| Excess Assessment Excise | | 1,101.95 |
| Abatements 1929 (Property) | \$ 371.30 | |
| Abatements 1929 (Excise) | 462.98 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | 1,371.15 | |
| | <u>\$ 2,205.43</u> | <u>\$ 2,205.43</u> |

OVERLAY RESERVE

| | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 5,880.14 |
| Transferred to Reserve Fund | \$ 1,500.00 | |
| Transferred to Highway Dept..... | 300.00 | |
| Amounts transferred back to acct.. | | 504.92 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | 4,585.06 | |
| | <u>\$ 6,385.06</u> | <u>\$ 6,385.06</u> |

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 8,352.85 |
| State Aid from State, 1929..... | | 138.00 |
| Excess Revenue | | 5,072.78 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | \$ 13,563.63 | |
| | <u>\$ 13,563.63</u> | <u>\$ 13,563.63</u> |

TEMPORARY LOANS

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 10,000.00 |
| Revenue Loans 1929 | | 80,000.00 |
| Payment of Loans by Treas., 1929 | \$ 70,000.00 | |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | 20,000.00 | |
| | <u>\$ 90,000.00</u> | <u>\$ 90,000.00</u> |

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT REVENUE

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 22.50 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | \$ 22.50 | |
| | <u>\$ 22.50</u> | <u>\$ 22.50</u> |

TAX TITLES REVENUE

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | | \$ 587.72 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | \$ 587.72 | |
| | <u>\$ 587.72</u> | <u>\$ 587.72</u> |

NON-REVENUE ACCOUNT

MAIN STREET CONSTRUCTION

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Balance Jan. 1, 1929 | \$ 1,102.02 | |
| Appropriated by Town | 10,000.00 | |
| Cash Received from State | 15,196.93 | |
| Cash Received from County..... | 15,196.93 | |
| Payments 1929 | | \$ 40,913.98 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1929 | | 581.90 |
| | <u>\$ 41,495.88</u> | <u>\$ 41,495.88</u> |

DETAIL OF NET BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING

| Purpose of Indebtedness | Balance Out- standing Jan. 1, '29 | Notes Issued 1929 | Payments 1929 | Balance Out- standing Dec. 31, '29 |
|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------|--|
| Centre School Addition | \$ 6,000.00 | | \$1,000.00 | \$ 5,000.00 |
| Town Hall Addition | 16,000.00 | | 2,000.00 | 14,000.00 |
| Essex County Sanitarium | 2,000.00 | | 2,000.00 | |
| Rebuilding Main Street | 8,000.00 | 8,000.00 | 2,000.00 | 14,000.00 |
| | <u>\$32,000.00</u> | <u>\$8,000.00</u> | <u>\$7,000.00</u> | <u>\$33,000.00</u> |

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS

| Name of Fund | Balance on hand Jan. 1, '29 | Income 1929 | Payments 1929 | Balance on hand Dec. 31, '29 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Mary U. Nash Improve. Fund | \$ 2,617.26 | \$ 124.34 | | \$ 2,741.60 |
| Compensation Fund | 2,751.79 | 129.49 | 323.99 | 2,557.29 |
| Legion Memorial Fund | 829.74 | 37.73 | | 867.47 |
| Geo. L. Hawkes Library Fund | 500.00 | 22.50 | 22.50 | 500.00 |
| Mary U. Nash Library Fund | 1,000.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Geo. N. Blake Library Fund | 4,000.00 | 210.00 | 210.00 | 4,000.00 |
| Adelia J. Clough Library Fund | 300.00 | 14.40 | 14.40 | 300.00 |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | 8,721.31 | 612.30* | 334.75 | 8,998.86 |
| Grand Totals | <u>\$20,720.10</u> | <u>\$1,200.76</u> | <u>\$ 955.64</u> | <u>\$20,965.22</u> |

Notes

For further detail of these accounts see report of the Town Treasurer.

*Income for 1929 includes \$200.00 in new endowments.

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TOWN OF LYNNFIELD BALANCE SHEET, DEC. 31, 1929

REVENUE ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Accounts Receivable

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1929..... | \$14,100.43 |
| Taxes, Dec. 1927 Assessment | 5.54 |
| Taxes, Property 1927 | 175.38 |
| Taxes, Property 1928 | 1,553.74 |
| Taxes, Moth 1928 | 3.25 |
| Taxes, Dec. 1928 Assessment | 14.02 |
| Taxes, Poll 1929 | 56.00 |
| Taxes, Property 1929 | 25,231.17 |
| Taxes, Moth 1929 | 8.25 |
| Taxes, Automobile Excise 1929 | 2,129.90 |
| Tax Titles | 587.72 |
| State Aid | 96.00 |
| | <u>\$44,016.40</u> |

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Overlay 1927 | \$ 1,891.28 |
| Overlay 1928 | 1,995.06 |
| Overlay 1929 | 1,371.15 |
| Overlay Reserve | 4,585.06 |
| Excess Revenue | 13,563.63 |
| Temporary Loans | 20,000.00 |
| Special Assessment Revenue | 22.50 |
| Tax Title Revenue | 587.72 |

NON-REVENUE ACCOUNTS

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--|-----------|
| Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1929 | 581.90 | Main Street Construction balance | \$ 581.90 |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--|-----------|

BONDED DEBT

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Net Bonded Debt, Dec. 31, 1929 | \$33,000.00 | Centre School Loan | 5,000.00 |
| | | Town Hall Loan | 14,000.00 |
| | | Main Street Construction | 14,000.00 |

| | | | |
|--|--------------------|--|--------------------|
| | <u>\$33,000.00</u> | | <u>\$33,000.00</u> |
|--|--------------------|--|--------------------|

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS

| | | | |
|--|--------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Cash and Securities, Dec. 31, 1929 | \$20,965.22 | Mary U. Nash Improvement Fund | \$ 2,741.60 |
| | | Compensation Fund | 2,557.29 |
| | | Legion Memorial Fund | 867.47 |
| | | George L. Hawkes Library Fund | 500.00 |
| | | Mary U. Nash Library Fund | 1,000.00 |
| | | George N. Blake Library Fund | 4,000.00 |
| | | Adella J. Clough Library Fund | 300.00 |
| | | Cemetery Trust Funds | 8,998.86 |
| | <u>\$20,965.22</u> | | <u>\$20,965.22</u> |

ACCOUNTANT'S CERTIFICATE

I have examined the cash deposits and securities in the various Trust Funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer and find them to be as stated in the Treasurer's Report.

I certify that the receipts as reported by the Treasurer agree with the books and that the payments, by the various departments, were as stated in the foregoing report.

The Balance sheet of the Town as of December 31, 1929 is in agreement with the books of the Town, and, in my opinion, it correctly presents the financial position of the Town as of December 31, 1929.

I take this opportunity to thank the departments for promptly supplying their annual reports, as such action helps considerably in compiling the Town Report.

CARL H. RUSSELL,
Town Accountant.

February 10, 1930.

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ESSEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lynnfield in said County of Essex, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield, qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet in their respective polling places, on Monday, March 3, 1930, at 5.45 A. M., then and there to bring in their votes on one ballot for the choice of all necessary town officers for the ensuing year chosen in this manner.

The polls in each precinct will be open at 5.45 A. M., and will be closed at 4.00 P. M., on said March 3, 1930.

The polling place for the voters living in Precinct 1 will be in the Town Hall; for the voters living in Precinct 2 will be in Chemical Hall, corner Broadway and Salem Street, all in said Lynnfield.

And you are further required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet in the Town Hall on Monday, March 10, 1930, at 7.30 P. M., to consider and act upon the following articles.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To act upon reports of town officers and special committees as published.

Article 3. To choose all town officers not required to be chosen by ballot.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1931, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1931.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the expense of the General Government of the Town, viz: Town officers' salaries and expenses, care of municipal buildings, elections and registrations, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the expense of the Police Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 for the maintenance expense of the Fire Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,155.00 to be used for hydrant rental in Lynnfield Water District for the year 1930, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover other Protection of Persons and Property, including Sealer of Weights and Measures, and Inspector of Buildings, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,354.57 to cover payment of State Moth Assessment, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for private moth work, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used by the Tree Warden in trimming and caring for shade trees along the highways, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for Health and Sanitation, including Board of Health, Inspector of Animals, and Inspector of Milk, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the general expense of the Highway Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,550.00 for the operation of street lighting, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be used by the Tree Warden to cut the bushes along the highways, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$10,000.00 to be used in continuing the reconstruction of Main Street, as recommended by the Public Works Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover Department of Public Welfare, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$96.00 to cover payment of State Aid or what action it will take thereon.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 for the general expense of the School Department, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,050.00 for the general expense of the Public Libraries, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 22. To see what disposal the Town will make of the money refunded by the County from the dog tax for the year 1929.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 to cover the expense of caring for the Town Parks, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the observance of Memorial Day and determine how the same shall be expended, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$704.78 to cover the Town's share of expenses incurred during the year 1929 in maintaining the Essex County Sanitarium under the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$456.03 to cover the Town's share of the expense of additional construction of the Essex County Sanitarium or what action it will take thereon.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for a continuation of the Town Survey, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars, for the use of the Town Planning Board, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be known as the Reserve Fund, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for the use of the Cemetery Commissioners for the caring for and laying out of the Town Cemeteries, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,700.00 to cover payment of interest on debts and loans becoming due the current year, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 to cover payment of notes maturing the current year or what action it will take thereon.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a suitable sidewalk from the Jenney Gasoline Station in South Lynnfield Square to the

Peabody Line, along the Newburyport Turnpike, and that this construction be left in the hands of the Selectmen, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way Highland Avenue, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on "Plan of Lakefield Park, Lynnfield Centre, Mass.", James A. Bancroft, Surveyor, dated January 23, 1890, and recorded with Essex South District Deeds, Plan Book 6, Plan 27.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way Ingalls Terrace, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on "Plan of Lots Belonging to Charles N. P. Ingalls, So. Lynnfield, Mass.", dated June 10, 1925, J. F. Goldthwait, Surveyor, filed with the Town Clerk.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to install one additional street light on Main Street, near the park entrance, on pole 2-61J, operation of same to be paid from the regular appropriation for street lighting, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$27.00 for the maintenance of 2 street lights at the junction of Lowell and Main Streets, as recommended by the Reading Electric Light Dept., or what action it will take thereon.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty-four dollars (\$54.00) for four street lights on Highland Ave., or what action it will take thereon.

Article 39. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$16.50 for one street light to be installed at the entrance of Maple St. on Broadway, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300 to be used by the Board of Selectmen in settlement of claims for damages for the taking of land at three corners of Main and Lowell Streets in connection with the widening and relocating of said streets, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,148.12 to be used to indemnify two firemen for expenses and damages sustained on or about July 4, 1929, as authorized by Chapter 41 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof, \$323.99 of above amount to be used to reimburse the Compensation Fund for expenses paid during 1929, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to pay for the Town's part of the purchase of a traffic signal light at the junction of Salem Street and the Newburyport Turnpike, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$375.00 to be expended by the Selectmen in the purchase of additional seats for the Town Hall, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twelve hundred dollars to install fourteen additional windows in the South School, and paint the outside surface of the same building, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 45. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$15,000 for the remodeling of Chemical House No. 2, this amount to be raised as follows: \$3,000 in the 1930 tax levy, and the balance on four notes of \$3,000 each, one note maturing each year for four years, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to build a sidewalk on the north side of Salem Street, from the South Schoolhouse to Mansfield's Corner, thereby making this highway safer for pedestrians, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the purpose of providing an office and equipment for the Board of Assessors, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00, to be expended under the direction of the Lynnfield Committee for the celebration of the Tercentenary of the Bay State Colony, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,700.00 to be used by the Fire Department, to provide for an increase in the manual strength of the department and the purchase of replacement hose; both required by the New England Fire Insurance Exchange, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to be used by the Moth Superintendent in the suppression of Satin Moths on Parson Ave., and other trees infested, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) and place same to the credit of the Lynnfield Street and Highway Safety Committee, to be used by said committee for the purpose of promoting street and highway safety in the town of Lynnfield, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 52. To see if the town will vote to adopt a Traffic Ordinance, as proposed by the Lynnfield Branch of Governor Allen's Street and Highway Safety Committee and approved by the Department of Public Works, or what action it will take thereon.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the Selectmen in the restoration to its original condition, so far as will be practicable of the old meeting-house, so-called, or what action it will take thereon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, in at least six public places in said Town, and in such other public places as the Selectmen may designate, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not, and make due returns of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Lynnfield the seventeenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty.

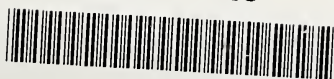
RALPH E. COX,
ARCHIE L. HAYWARD,
JOSEPH F. SMITH,
Selectmen of Lynnfield.

A true copy attest:

Albert G. Tedford,
Constable of Lynnfield.



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